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U. S. GOVERNMENT WEATHER FORECAST
Boston and vicinity—Unsettled, probably occasional rain tonight and Wednesday; moderate variable winds. Sun rises at 6:59 a.m. and 4:14 p.m.
Moon, rises at 3:01 a.m.
High tide at 7:16 a.m., 3:31 p.m.
Temperatures at 8 a.m., 32°; 10 a.m., 39°; maximum, 39°; minimum 31°; average 33½
Light rail vehicles: 4:46 p.m.

LARGEST EVENING CIRCULATION IN NEW ENGLAND

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PONZI GETS 5 YEARS

Today

Those Two Slides
What's Wrong With Us?
Not Much, Says Armour
Gunmen for Hessians

—By Arthur Brisbane—

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The top slid from Mont Blanc and the stock market at about the same time—only the market started ahead of the mountain, and is still sliding.

In the market they handle different men in different ways. Two, well known, recently had trouble. One was Allan A. Ryan, not liked by the stock exchange because of the Stutz corner. Having cornered Ryan the market let everybody know all about it.

Another man was deeper under the landslide than Ryan. He told the market that he owed in the neighborhood of forty millions, and that if he were not dug out and resuscitated there would be some more landslides. They dug him out.

There is financial power in plenty, where, without effort, one man to the tune of twenty millions and another to the tune of forty millions can be carried along without trouble.

There is nothing in the country's condition to worry those interested in the country and not in any week-kneed account on margin.

A solemn young editor yesterday quoted J. Ogden Armour as follows—the accuracy of the quotation is not guaranteed:

"There is nothing much the matter with the country except that some men will have to give up the idea of profits for six months or so. Ordinarily, production is about six months ahead of consumption; now there is enough to last eighteen months. That situation must be adjusted."

Worse things could be imagined than having enough stuff to last eighteen months. War boomed prices, prices boomed production, profits and high wages boomed sales and sales boomed profiteering.

Now comes a little pause, that is all.

Even great oil companies have their troubles. At the beginning of this month there were 150,000,000 barrels of oil stored up, 594,000 barrels more than the surplus of thirty days previously. Automobiles are resting in their garages. They will soon be cranked up again, but meanwhile be careful how you gamble in the wrong kind of oil stocks.

The Socialists of Strasbourg, following the example of Paris Socialists, have decided to join "the Third Internationale," brand of socialism created by Lenin and Trotzky. What Socialists do makes little difference in America, but a great deal of difference in Europe. There socialism rules quite openly in Germany, France, Italy; secretly under eminently respectable camouflage in England.

Nothing succeeds like victory. Bolsheviam's defeat of Wrangle undoubtedly brings European Socialists over to the Third Internationale.

A dispatch from London says "American gunmen are said to have made their appearance in Londonderry, Ireland." The Sinn Fein is alleged to have imported the gunmen and the British police are agitated by "the menace of these American mercenaries."

They can understand how George Washington felt about the Hessian mercenaries shipped here by England. The worst of it is that one American gunman, with a few little packages of cocaine to steady his "automatic," is equal to at least fifty Hessians of the brand of 1776.

Strange that the British do not adjust the Irish question in a way to satisfy Ireland. It could be done, and Lloyd George is the ablest living man to do it. Every day makes it harder, and it must be done.

That Mont Blanc landslide, a thing that happened often on a bigger scale in old days, when the world was cooling off, like a mass of red hot iron, appears to have been a first-class demonstration of natural power.

A block of granite as big as a small mountain fell down 10,000 feet. No wonder it shook houses fifty miles away when it struck the Brenva Glacier and slid on through a great pine forest. That forest saved the lives of people in the Courmayeur valley, gradually stopping the slide just in time.

More slides from Mont Blanc are expected, but the scientists remain at their observatory, within 800 feet of the present top of the mountain, as they remain on the flank of Vesuvius, that may wash them down in liquid lava any day. Intellectual courage is the highest—no drums, no applause, no fear.

2 YEARS IN JAIL FOR DILLON

'Pal' of Herman L. Barney Sentenced as Bride of Two Days Sits in Court

John F. (Chick) Dillon, pal of Herman L. Barney, and self confessed automobile thief, was sentenced to two years at hard labor in the House of Correction, East Cambridge, by Judge Robert Raymond in the Middlesex Superior Criminal Court today.

While the prisoner's attorney, former Lieutenant-Governor Edward F. Barry, was making his plea for mercy to the Court, and Assistant District Attorney George Stanley Harvey was demanding the full pound of flesh for the law, the pretty little bride of the accused man was sitting in the court room, a dazed look in the eyes which she never took from the face of her husband.

With Mrs. Dillon was Dillon's sister.

When the sentence was pronounced by the court, the sister broke into bitter weeping. The wife sat dry eyed, stunned.

Attorney Harvey moved for sentence of Dillon as soon as court opened. He selected, as he expressly stated in his address, the indictment charging conspiracy, a misdemeanor, instead of that charging receiving stolen goods, a felony, which would have meant that Dillon would have been sentenced to State's Prison instead of the House of Correction.

Mr. Barry in making his plea for the prisoner reminded the court of what assistance Dillon has been to the State in running down the automobile thieves, and asked the

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$2,000 FIRE THREATENS HOTEL AT KEENE, N. H.

Keene, N. H., Nov. 30.—Firemen fought a stubborn blaze in a large shed connected with the Colonial Hotel here, which caused damage of more than $2,000. The building is owned by Eliza Lane and the hotel is conducted by Fred T. Stone. The cause of the fire is unknown.

BOLLING DENIES RECEIVING GRAFT "FEE"

New York, Nov. 30.—R. Wilmer Bolling, brother-in-law of President Wilson, denied before the Walsh congressional committee today that he had assisted in obtaining a shipbuilding contract. He denied having received any part of the $40,000 "fee" alleged to have been paid by Wallace Downey of the Wallace Downey Shipbuilding Corporation for such a contract, as charged by Tucker K. Sands.

Children Plead For Christmas Food

"Please do not forget us or we will have an unhappy Christmas."

This simple, but pathetic appeal, with occasionally a slight variation, is contained in hundreds of letters received by the Boston American from little undernourished children and their wan-faced mothers who ask for food from the Basket Fund. As Christmas approaches the appeals for help from the Boston American Christmas Basket Fund increase in

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Women to Welcome Mrs. MacSwiney

By International News Service.

New York, Nov. 30.—Elaborate plans were made here today for a fitting reception for Mrs. Muriel MacSwiney, widow of Lord Mayor of Cork, and his sister, Miss Mary MacSwiney, who will arrive Friday or Saturday.

They are coming in response to an invitation from the American committee in Ireland to give testimony as to conditions in that country.

The woman's committee, headed by ex-Congresswoman Jeanette Rankin, which will have a leading part in the reception for the two Irish women, includes Miss Ann Withington of Boston, Miss Julia Emory of Washington, Mrs. William Johns Brown of Baltimore and Mrs. Tuscan Bennett of Hartford, Ct.

WOMAN FOUND DYING ON R. R.

Mrs. Mary Campbell, 70 Years Old, of Springfield, Walks 8 Blocks in Nightclothes

Springfield, Nov. 30.—Mrs. Marr Campbell, seventy years of age, of No. 949 Worthington street, this city, dressed only in her night clothes, walked eight blocks from her home early today onto the tracks of the Boston & Albany Railroad, where she was found by the crew of a freight train with her skull fractured and one arm severed. The elderly woman died in the caboose of the freight train which took her to Springfield station.

For some time, Mrs. Campbell had been mentally feeble. Several times she had wandered from her home and been found, identified and returned to her home. It is presumed she left her residence around 5:30 this morning. She was discovered about 7 and identified at 10. She is survived by two sons and a daughter.

DANELS FILES REPLY IN WESTERN UNION'S SUIT

Washington, Nov. 30.—Secretary of the Navy Daniels today filed his answer in the District Supreme Court to the suit of the Western Union Telegraph Company, which has sought to enjoin him from interfering with the laying of certain cables across Biscayne Bay, near Miami, Fla. Secretary Daniels stated it had always been the policy of the government to prevent the laying of any cables on the shores of the United States which connected with a foreign country in which the cable company had a monopoly of cable connections.

BUILDING IN LONDON BOMBED

Another in Dublin Blown Up; Cork City Hall Burned; Reprisals Continue

By International News Service.

London, Nov. 30.—A building was wrecked in the heart of London early today by the explosion of a time bomb. The explosion occurred in a leather store near London Bridge at 2 o'clock. There were no casualties.

Scotland Yard detectives who investigated the explosion said that the bomb evidently had been carried into the building before the close of business on Monday and left concealed in a package.

Officials said the infernal machine evidently had been constructed of TNT. No evidence was found to connect the Sinn Fein directly with the explosion, but the outrage has caused the greatest alarm. Members of the special organization of constables organized during the war have been notified that they might be called out for service.

Two unexploded bombs were discovered during the morning at Hunley and Tarshfield, in Monmouthshire.

CORK CITY HALL BURNED.

Dispatches from Cork say that the City Hall there was destroyed by fire today. The damage is estimated at $1,000,000. The first attempt to fire the building was unsuccessful, but the torch was applied a second time.

Black and Tan policemen were active at work all night and during the early hours today there was

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Bombed District In London

Tower
Tower Bridge
London Bridge
Billingsgate
Custom House
Mansion House
Bank
St. Paul's
Cathedral
Temple
Blackfriars Bridge
Waterloo Bridge
Westminster Bridge
Houses of Parliament
Westminster Abbey
Victoria Tower
Buckingham Palace
Hyde Park
Marble Arch
Oxford Street
Regent Street
Piccadilly
Trafalgar Square
Charing Cross
Strand
Fleet Street
Holborn
Euston Road
Kings Cross
Pentonville
Clerkenwell
Aldgate
Whitechapel
Commercial Road
Limehouse
Poplar
Millwall
Docks
Greenwich
Deptford
Lewisham
Blackheath
Woolwich
Lambeth
Vauxhall
Battersea
Clapham
Wandsworth
Putney
Kensington
Chelsea
Fulham
Hammersmith
Shepherds Bush
Notting Hill
Paddington
Edgware Road
Regents Park
Hampstead
Highgate
Finsbury
Islington
Stoke Newington
Hackney
Bethnal Green
Shoreditch
Bermondsey
Rotherhithe
Peckham
Dulwich
Camberwell
Brixton
Streatham
Tooting
Wimbledon
Richmond
Kew
Chiswick
Ealing
Acton
Willesden
Kilburn
Harrow Road
Bayswater
Victoria
Sloane Square
Knightsbridge
Mayfair
Soho
Covent Garden
Holborn
Clerkenwell
Finsbury
Islington
Hackney
Bethnal Green
Whitechapel
Aldgate
Tower
Tower Bridge
London Bridge
Southwark

CORK CITY HALL AND SINN FEIN BANK IN DUBLIN BURNED

LONDON TERRORIZED BY BOMB OUTRAGE NEAR BIG BRIDGE

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heavy rifle firing and bomb explosions.

Many houses and shops were damaged and there was much looting.

Part of the population became terror-stricken and fled from the city.

The incendiary damage at Cork during the last week, including the loss from the destruction of the City Hall is estimated at £7,000,000.

A fresh wave of incendiarism rolled over Southern Ireland today, following the orgy of bloodshed near Kilmichael, when seventeen cadets of the auxiliary police (Black and Tans) were ambushed and fifteen of them were killed outright and one fatally wounded. The remaining cadet is missing.

The Sinn Fein Club at Cork was burned to the ground. The Cork fire brigade refused to fight the flames unless given police protection.

A band of men, armed and masked, burned the Sinn Fein bank in Harcourt street, Dublin.

DUBLIN SHOP BOMBED.

A time bomb was exploded in a hide merchant's shop in Dublin and the building were wrecked, but there were no casualties.

Reprisal fires broke out in County Cork, following the killing of the police cadets. Nearly all of the houses at Kilmichael and in the immediate district were destroyed. Ballineese is at a standstill.

Macroom, where the bodies of the dead police cadets were taken, is under heavy guard of troops. The bulk of the population has fled, fearing reprisals.

Soldiers are combing County Cork for the ambushers who killed the police cadets. There were nearly 100 men in the attacking party.

According to information received at Dublin Castle the attackers wore khaki uniforms and trench helmets.

IRISH STREAM INTO ENGLAND.

The police admit they are finding extreme difficulty in controlling the movements of thousands of Irishmen living in England or preventing the disembarkation of militants from Ireland in the guise of firemen and members of the crews of steamers.

Liverpool Irishmen declare that they are entirely in ignorance of the whereabouts of arms plots in cities, but practically every city in now alive with rumors that American gunmen have landed from motor boats on the remote coast of North Wales. The Irish office in London disclaims any belief in the story.

The prosecution of William Robinson, charged with attempting to burn a London timber yard, was adjourned for a week after the disclosure in court that the prisoner, who was only arrested after a chase, had a supply of Irish literature in his home. He is a well dressed youth of twenty and is described as a student.

WOMAN DIES 'PHONING SON HOUSE IS ABLAZE

While telephoning to her son Paul today that their home was on fire, Mrs. Clara C. Newcomb, a widow, aged sixty years, of No. 99 Monument street, Medford, fell dead to the floor. Medical Examiner McCaffrey said death was due to heart failure. The fire is reported by the police to have started in the cellar of the two family frame house and to have been caused by an overheated furnace. The firemen estimated the damage at $1,000. Mrs. Newcomb and her son, who is employed in a Boston factory, lived upstairs and the family of Mrs. H. L. Newell lives downstairs.

WORCESTER TO REGISTER VOTERS YEAR ROUND

Worcester, Nov. 30.—The board of registrars of voters in considering a plan to have the office open at least one day a week the year round this action is considered advisable with the large woman registration, as women are required by law to change their registration name within sixty days after marriage. As there are about 2,000 marriages a year in Worcester, there will be enough work to warr nt the carrying out of the plan.

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PAYS $1 A POUND FINE FOR SHORTWEIGHT COAL

Bertha Bailey of No. 181 Northampton street bought a bag of coal from Vito Maiuro, coal peddler, at Hammut avenue. Deputy Sealer James Sweeney happened along and Sweeney told Judge Hayden in Roxbury court today that the bag weighed 85 pounds. Vito Maiuro is fined at the rate of a dollar a pound for short weight. Twelve pounds makes $12.

Wants Income Tax by December 15.

The last quarterly instalment on the Federal income tax is due December 15.

Collector of Internal Revenue Mitchell sent out warnings to this effect to all on the list today.

He at the same time warned tax payers not to send cash payments through the mails.

Those who do so take all the risks, not only of losing the money, but of being delinquent in payments.

MUST FACE TRIAL IN BOMB CASE

Medford Upholsterer, Wanted in Chicago, Loses Extradition Fight in Supreme Court

As the result of a decision handed down today by the full bench of the Supreme Court, Edward E. Graves of Medford, vice-president of the International Association of Upholsterers, is going back to Chicago to stand trial on an indictment charging him with conspiring to dynamite certain buildings in that city last Spring while a strike of upholsterers was in progress.

The action of the court was in dismiss the petition of Graves for a writ of habeas corpus which would release him from arrest on the executive warrant issued by Governor Coolidge.

Graves was arrested in the early Summer following the receipt of requisition papers from Governor Lowden. When the extradition papers were questioned Judge Pierce reported the case to the full bench and, pending final decision, admitted the prisoner to bail.

Meanwhile the apparent errors in the extradition papers were corrected and Graves was arrested on a second warrant. This time he was brought before Judge Braley and the case again was referred to the full court.

Chief Justice Rugg, writing the opinion handed down today, found that while the first warrant was defective the second complied with the provisions of the statutes. As to the right of Graves to a trial by jury, the Chief Justice said:

"Trial by jury in habeas corpus proceedings has never been allowed in this Commonwealth so far as we are aware. Such practice would be contrary to the essential nature of that writ, which is to determine forthwith the right of a person to his liberty. The great weight of authority is against the allowance of such trials."

DILLON, BARNEY'S PAL, GETS 2 YEARS

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difficulties and troubles that have surrounded the pathway of his client.

"He has been desperately ill, he has striven with all his might to make amends for his wrongdoing, and for more than a year he has lived straight," said the lawyer.

Barry urged the court to place Dillon on probation or at least to grant him a suspended sentence.

"I will help him get a start in business and see that he keeps to his determination to live a decent life for the wife he has just married," said the attorney.

Judge Raymond in imposing sentence said that he realized what Dillon has done and suffered, but that proper protection of the public demands that he impose a "substantial sentence."

JAP WITHHOLD DEMAND FOR RACE EQUALITY

Geneva, Nov. 30.—Viscount Kikujiro Ishii, head of the Japanese delegation at the League of Nations meeting, announced today that Japan would not press the resolution for racial equality at the present session of the league assembly.

Plenary sessions were resumed by the assembly this morning, but only routine matters were scheduled for consideration.

Viscount Ishii, in outlining the attitude of his government, said it was desirable to await a more opportune time before attempting to secure passage of the racial equality resolution which is designed to benefit Japanese nationals. The Viscount declared further that the Japanese are opposed to any attempt to revise the league covenant at the present time.

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TWO AMERICAN WOMEN JAILED AT VILNA AS SPIES

Washington, Nov. 30.—Two American women have been arrested by the Lithuanian authorities at Vilna on charges of espionage and have been taken to Kovno, according to official advices reaching the State Department. The women are Miss Martha Grazyk and has assistant, Miss Mary A. Wasilevyk. They are members of the Grey Samaritan Corps and were assigned as food distributors under the European child fund.

HUGHES ARGUES SCIENCE CASE

Ex-Supreme Justice Declares Trust Founded by Mrs. Eddy is Regarded as Perpetual

With the resumption of arguments in the Christian Science controversy before the full bench of the Massachusetts Supreme Court it appeared probable that this litigation, which, leaders of the church say, involves the very fundamentals of the religion, would pass to the court for decision late today.

Charles Evans Hughes of New York, former justice of the U. S. Supreme Court, was the first of the imposing array of legal talent to argue the case today. He, with Shepard L. Whipple of Boston, are representing the trustees of the Christian Science Publishing Society.

MRS. HULIN WITHDRAWS.

The argument for the trustees disposed of all but two of the bills which have been grouped for the court's consideration. Originally there were six, but the withdrawal of Mrs. Emilie B. Hulin of Brooklyn, N. Y., who was a First Member of the Mother Church when the body of First Members was in existence, left only five.

She sought reinstatement as a First Member but her counsel, Miles M. Dawson of New York, in announcing her withdrawal, said that he advised her supporters that their contention were taken care of in the suit of Attorney-General Allen which would have the Christian Science Church declared a charitable trust.

Following the argument of Attorney Hughes, pleas were scheduled on the Attorney-General's bill and that of Edwin A. Krauthoff and others who would establish the church manual as the rule of the faith. Each litigant, by court arrangement, is allowed two and one-half hours in which to present their case.

MRS. EDDY'S INTENTIONS.

That Mary Baker Eddy created the board of trustees of the publishing society for the purpose of promoting the religion which she founded and intended that no one should interfere with them in the discharge of that duty, was the chief claim of Attorney Hughes in opening his argument.

Even if she had so wished it would have been impossible under the terms of the deed of trust which she made them on September 15, 1892, he declared, as such a deed is irrevocable under the laws of Massachusetts. But Mrs. Eddy had no such desire, he asserted, because she failed to make any such provision in her will. Although she added codicils to the will as late as May 14, 1904, he said, in none of them did she express a wish to have the provisions of the original deed altered. That she was aware of the legal requirements necessary to make reservations as to authority, he declared, was indicated by another deed of trust which she executed about the same time disposing of some church property on Commonwealth avenue in which the reservation was made.

TRUST VIEWED AS PERPETUAL.

"We view it as a valid trust, complete in itself, perpetual and irrevocable," said the counsel for the trustees. "She created this trust even before the Mother Church in Boston was established, for that was not founded until September 23, 1892, or nearly one month later. She expressly stated that the trustees in promoting the cause of Christian Science were 'subject only to my supervision.'

"It was the duty of the trustees to carry out this trust and not allow it to be subverted, as was attempted by the directors in this case. That they have done this, even in spite of the obstacles placed in their way by the directors, is shown by the present prosperity of the publishing society."

Mrs. Hulin's withdrawal came after charges that her suit had not been brought in good faith were made by Attorney William G. Thompson, counsel for John V. Dittemore, a deposed director who seeks reinstatement. He demanded to know if she were not a secret agent of directors attempting in their behalf to get a new trial.

The directors who lost by the report of the Master, Judge Frederick Dodge, are represented by former Governor John L. Bates. Krauthoff, himself an attorney and former counsel for the directors, will argue on the merits of his own bill.

BRITISH TRADE PACT FORWARDED TO MOSCOW

London, Nov. 30.—The draft of the British trade agreement with Soviet Russia which was presented to Gregory Krassin late Monday, was sent to Moscow today for approval by the Soviet government. It is expected that minor amendments will be added, but M. Krassin stated that there is a prospect of trade relations opening up between Great Britain and Russia within the next fifteen days.

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REPORT BRITAIN HAS SOLD OIL INTERESTS

Washington, Nov. 30.—Great Britain has sold or transferred all her interests in commercial oil companies, according to advices received in diplomatic circles here. The State Department was without official confirmation of the reports.

DOG'S CARESS COSTS MASTER HIS LIFE

York, Me., Nov. 30.—Herbert E. Ware was fatally shot while leaning on his gun, when a pet dog jumped upon him for a caress and hit the trigger with his paw. The bullet went through Ware's eye.

PITTSFIELD BROKER'S WIFE COMMITS SUICIDE

Pittsfield, Nov. 30.—Turning open all the burners of the kitchen coal range in her home, No. 484 Bartlett avenue, Mrs. Nellie A. Gardner, aged fifty-four, wife of William P. Gardner, a real estate broker, committed suicide.

VICTIM OF SHOOTING DIES AT SPRINGFIELD

Springfield, Nov. 30.—Grace Dickinson of No. 65 Hayden street, is dead at Wesson Hospital. She is the second victim of the revolver of Charles L. Miller of Worcester, who on Thanksgiving night shot his wife and the Dickinson woman in the latter's home. Mrs. Miller was instantly killed. Miller is in jail on a murder charge.

NEGRO YOUTH LYNCHED BY FLORIDA MOB

Miami, Fla., Nov. 30.—Following his alleged attack on a white woman, J. B. Harris, a negro, aged nineteen, was hung to a tree by a mob near Princeton.

Driver Risks Death in Fire to Save Autos

Braving death in flames, Leo M. Roymane, a chauffeur, of No. 10 Franklin street, Somerville, jumped to the wheel of his blazing auto truck today and drove the machine out of the garage of Youlden, Smith & Hopkins, No. 85 Washington street, Somerville. He saved the thirty other cars stored there.

Roymane, with a load of furniture which he was taking to Pittsfield, had gone to the garage to have his gasoline tank filled. The metal nozzle of the hose in falling struck a spark which ignited the gasoline.

The flames leaped to the body of the truck, threatening to spread through the other cars in the garage. Seeing the danger and ignoring his own peril, Roymane got into the blazing truck and backed it into the centre of the street, where the Somerville Fire Department extinguished the flames. Roymane was unhurt.

The damage to the truck load of furniture was estimated at about $300.

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ATWOOD IN PARDON PLEA VOICES PENITENCE FOR KILLING

TRAGIC LOVE TRIANGLE CASE COMES BEFORE COUNCIL

A new chapter in Boston's most sensational love triangle tragedy!

Tomorrow will decide whether "Prisoner No. 15663," who shot the alleged betrayer of his suicide fiancee shall leave Charlestown State Prison to begin life anew.

So far as can be learned there will be no opposition to commutation from a life sentence to a sentence of from five years to life for Dr. Eldridge A. Atwood, convicted of the murder, in 1916, of Dr. Wilfred E. Harris, following the suicide of Dr. Celia Paine Adams, Atwood's fiancee, with whom Dr. Harris was alleged to have been intimate.

The State Board of Pardons and Parole, after two hearings, has unanimously recommended the commutation of sentence, which means that the young Woburn osteopath can be freed on parole at once if the pardons board of the Governor's Council, which will hold a public hearing on the matter tomorrow, so decrees.

The only previous opposition to a shortening of Atwood's sentence, which was registered at previous hearings, came in the form of two letters from Mrs. Jean van Allen Harris, widow of the victim, and the report by Special Agent Palmer of the Pardons Board of a conversation with Winthrop P. Adams, and Mrs. George Adams, brother and mother of the girl, whose suicide led to the shooting.

WILL AID ATWOOD.

In a statement to a representative of the Boston American, Winthrop P. Adams stated that not only have he and his mother no opposition to freeing Atwood, but that he will attend the hearing, and do everything in he's power to aid Atwood in getting his freedom.

Mrs. Harris, whose previous opposition was been confined to letters stating that any evidence, oral or written, purporting to show that she favored a pardon was "fraudulent and false," declined to make any statement of her present attitude in the matter.

If the Council adopts the unanimous recommendations of the Board of Pardons and Parole, Atwood will be freed. For he will have served more than two-thirds of the commuted sentence of five years, and so is entitled to be released on parole.

The fight to free the young osteopath has been going on for many months, led by the Rev. Stephen A. Norton of the First Congregational Church, Woburn. Following a hearing by the Board of Pardons and Parole, April 16, last, a majority report was filed in favor of commuting the sentence. Chairman Brooks of the board dissented, and the matter hung fire.

OPPOSITION WITHDRAWN.

On November 8 Chairman Brooks notified the Governor's Council that he withdrew his dissent to the commutation, and so the recommendations of the board for a shortening of the sentence were made unanimous.

At the hearing at the State Prison young Atwood told reporters for the first time his version of the shooting and of the friendship that led up to it. This story was never told in court because Atwood pleaded guilty to murder in the second degree.

Why he pleaded guilty at his trial, Atwood explained at the hearing, in answer to questions by Henry A. Higgins of the board.

Higgins: "Have you something outstanding in your case which you think would constitute a better reason for leniency than might be presented in the average life's case that you should ask to be released after so short a time as three years on a life sentence?"

A.—"That is hardly for me to say."

GIVEN PARDON HOPES.

Q.—"When you were sentenced to life imprisonment, did you think that you would remain only a few years?"

A.—"Well, that was one of the inducements held out to me to plead second degree murder by my lawyers and the district attorney. Of course there was no guarantee."

"You mean the court struck a bargain with you that as the one hand if you pleaded guilty to second degree murder they would hold out the hope of an early pardon?"

"Yes, they did. They gave me to understand that they might have given me first degree and given me a longer term than under second degree murder. Six to eight years was quoted to me by Pelletier and I would get out within that time."

"I never had any talk with the District Attorney?"

"No. I never saw him personally." "He doesn't make any recommendations in your case."

"No, as I say, there was no guarantee."

Dr. Atwood, then twenty-three years old, pleaded guilty to second degree murder in shooting and killing Dr. Harris, president of the Massachusetts College of Osteopathy, in the latter's room at the Hotel Westminster, July 5, 1916. He fired five shots, three taking effect, and then struck the dying man over the head with the butt of the revolver.

GIRL REVEALS BETRAYAL.

A few hours previous Dr. Atwood sat at the bedside of his fiancee, Dr. Celia Paine Adams, illes himself a pupil and admirer of Dr. Harris. A short time previous he had heard from her lips, according to his story, a nerve-shattering tale of how Dr. Harris had betrayed the twenty-seven-year-old girl medical student.

Parting after relating this story, and renewing her promise to marry Dr. Atwood and start life anew, the girl went to her office in Brookline and took poison. She died with Dr. Atwood at her bedside.

Leaving the hospital he secured a razor and a revolver and sought Dr. Harris, meaning, as he afterwards declared, simply to disfigure the latter.

After the murder Dr. Atwood went to Newspaper Row and read the story of his crime on newspaper bulletin boards, went to a moving picture show and then gave himself up to the police.

AGREED TO MARRY.

"It was the Spring of 1916, on some pretext or other, she returned my pin. She kind of quibbled over it, and said I should wear it myself. One night she had an engagement with me, and when I called up to make arrangements Celia told me she had another engagement. She told me nothing about him. He was a traveling salesman who met her first acquaintance in a while and would go out to see her."

Q.—"How often were you together?"

"Our association was daily. We cared for the same things. There was hardly a day but we were together."

FAMILIES OPPOSED MATCH.

Q.—"How did you spend your time?"

"Picnicing, canoeing, dancing and working."

Atwood said that Dr. Adams' family objected to the match, her family being of higher social position than his and she was three years his senior old, while he was but twenty-three.

"Finally one night I told her how exactly what led up to it, we were on the Charles River Parkway when she said she was through with me. I was surprised and wanted to know why.

"I remember her saying something about her New England conscience couldn't let her live a lie, and that it was some man she had met in society, and that I might make a scene if I knew who it was. She then informed me that it was Dr. Harris. She said he must have hypnotized her.

"I threw a fit and nearly pinecased. She said th..t she dreaded him; she was afraid of him and hated him, but she couldn't seem to keep away from him. She told me about when he tried to kiss her. She mentioned in some way the diary she kept. She told how she thought he became attracted to her in the first place, how he had surprised her into yielding to him, etc."

REASON FOR PARDON.

One of the reasons advanced by those seeking to free Atwood for his offering no defense at his trial was that "the evidence which the defense would have had to present was of so revolting a nature that all shrank from its presentation."

Assistant District Attorney Arthur Cabbree, the prison chaplain; Dr. Frank I. McLaughlin, Warden Bridges and former Woburn police officer Ed. Wood, Atwood's previous and present good character.

REGRETS CRIME.

The only documents opposing freeing the young physician were a report of Special Agent Palmer of the board and two letters from Mrs. Harris, wife of the victim. Special Agent Palmer stated that Winthrop P. Adams and his mother, brother and mother of Dr. Adams, opposed liberating Dr. Atwood until he had served ten or twelve years, and that they did not believe there had ever been intimate with Dr. Harris.

To an American representative Adams said:

"I intend to be present at the hearing. Since the last hearing much and I have discussed the whole matter, and we both believe that Dr. Atwood has been punished enough. We believe, of course, that he was temporarily insane when he murdered Dr. Harris. However, he has suffered enough, and I am going to do nothing to aid him in any way I can. I don't know that there is anything I can do to help him gain his freedom, but if there is I will do it."

In a brief submitted by himself to the Pardon Board, Dr. Atwood stated:

"I sincerely regret my crime, the significance of which I fully realize, and seek no justification for it. You know my case and I hope will not require me to review it. It is a regrettable past; I have attempted to show a worthy present; and I am ambitious for a useful and respectable future.

"I am greatly concerned for the happiness and personal welfare of my mother and father.

SLIPPING BACKWARDS.

"I have reached the point where I feel I am slipping backwards rather than able to further profit and improve my personal environment. I know I have led a useful life to my fellow men in here, and I know I should do so outside.

"I am encouraged to believe that society would yet once again tolerate me because I am prepared to be more useful than ever before. I see life and my responsibilities to the law and society in a clearer, more tolerant, less selfish light."

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Attempt to Float Mine Sweeper Beached at Duxbury

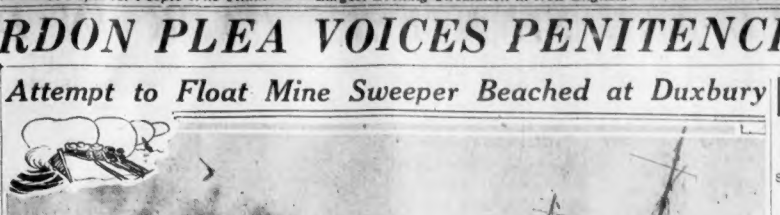

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Photo shows a member of the crew of the stranded mine sweeper Swan being brought to shore in bosun's chair by life guards.

Duxbury, Nov. 30.—Three naval tugs, a destroyer and a mine sweeper are attempting to float the stranded mine sweeper Swan, which lies on the beach here, high and dry. The commander of the Swan, Lieutenant Joseph Kenicezy, is confident the salvage workers will be able to pull his ship off the beach by nightfall. A comparatively calm sea and light wind is favoring the work.

GIRL'S MURDER STORY JAILS 4

Madeline Longe Says Owen Hayes Was Beaten, Robbed and Thrown in River

Fairhaven, Vt., Nov. 30.—On the strength of a fifteen-year-old girl's confession that her father was guilty of murder, four men, including the parent, were arraigned in court here before Judge Leo E. Pratt, on the charge of slaying and robbing Owen Hayes, aged fifty-two, of Whitehall.

The men arraigned were:

Peter Longe, Lawson L. Bardwell, Joseph S. Dufficy and Ernest Lowell, alias Herbert Lovell.

Madeline Longe, aged fifteen, previous to the arrests, related to Chief of Police John J. Brown one of the most shocking crimes in the history of the State and without betraying the slightest emotion involved her father and the three other prisoners in the slaying.

Owen Hayes, one of five bachelor brothers who lived with their eighty-two-year-old mother in the Castleton village, was robbed of $228 on the night of October 6, and then beaten over the head. His body, still alive, was then thrown into the Castleton River to hide the evidence of the crime.

On October 11, after a through search had been made for the missing man, the body was found on the shore of the river in a badly decomposed state. It was believed at that time that he had drowned, and death was given as accidental.

Ernest Lowell, one of the boarders at the Longe home, confessed to the girl, according to her story, that he had killed a man and swore her to secrecy. He told her, she said, that unless she kept her silence he would involve her father in the crime. She told the chief of police that this was shortly before she left home with her sweetheart, Louie Hishop, also a boarder at the Longe home where she was housekeeper.

Hishop, whose wife committed suicide, is now in jail at Middlebury awaiting trial on the charge of having attacked the girl. She read the other parts of a letter received from him which related to the crime and which, according to the authorities, supported the statements of the girl.

It was Peter Longe, the girl's father, that complained to State's Attorney Phelps that Louie Bishop had lured his daughter to Bellows Falls, Benton and Springfield. The complaint resulted in the arrest of Bishop.

Throughout the questioning by the officers Madeline prattled about her love affair with Bishop and no time did she give any evidence that she was involving her father in the most serious crime on the criminal calendar.

Longe, who married a Toronto woman, deserted his wife when Madeline was a baby, according to the authorities. They further declare that she spent large sums of money trying to find him, but gave up the hunt in despair and committed suicide.

SEEKS FRICTION CAUSE THAT SETS HOSE AFIRE

Why does fire hose, through which hundreds of gallons of water pass every minute, sometimes break into flames? The anomaly is to be solved by Professor Augustus H. Gill of the Massachusetts Institute of Technology, who has been conducting experiments at the request of Fire Commissioner Murphy. The cause is due to friction, he declares, which ignites the loosely woven cotton jackets. Now the learned professor and heads of the fire department are endeavoring to find out what causes the friction.

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DENVER MAN WILL BE GUEST OF AUTO DEALERS

P. E. Chamberlain of Denver will be the speaker at a meeting of Boston automobile dealers to be held at the City Club Thursday noon. The committee in charge of the local meeting says that every auto dealer and his sales managers will be present Thursday.

More Good News! Food Prices Drop!

The fact that the well-known H. C. L. is on the toboggan is evidenced by sensational price reductions in staple articles of food, reports of which have been received from all parts of the country.

Beef and pork, the general downward trend of which has been felt in Boston for several days, took another sharp drop, and sugar is selling at retail in this city for nine cents a pound.

Other staples which have been slashed in price are bread in Portland, Me., and Cleveland, O., and milk in Detroit, while in Chicago a fight is being made against the high cost of candy.

Overnight cuts announced in the prices of beef and fresh pork products in this city range from three to ten cents, and further reductions are expected. Pork roast sold for 37 cents, as compared with 25 cents yesterday and 45 cents last Friday. Pork chops, selling today for 40 cents, were 60 a few days ago.

Top of the round steak was quoted at 38 cents today, as against 48 cents yesterday and 55 cents last week. A similar reduction was evidenced in rump steak, which sold for 70 cents today.

Smoked hams have failed to keep pace with the fresh meats, being quoted at 42 cents, and bacon at 58 cents. Reports from the West showed reductions in the price of bacon of from 46 to 35 cents.

In Marlboro the biggest price reduction in meat prices in years was announced. Local provision dealers cut all veals prices five cents a pound, making a fifteen-cent drop during the week. Pork dropped fifteen cents.

At Cleveland reductions of retail meat prices ranged from three to eleven cents a pound, and bacon was cut from 46 to 35 cents.

The Detroit Milk Producers' Association announced a reduction of two cents a quart in the retail price of milk, making the present price 14 cents a quart and 8 cents a pint.

In Portland, Me., the price of bread dropped one cent, making the retail price 11 cents for a pound loaf and 12 cents for loaves of one and a half pounds. The price of a 24-ounce loaf was reduced from 14 to 12 cents in Cleveland, the latest reduction evidencing a large number of stores there, because of the decline in the price of flour.

The Chicago City Council has started a fight to make Christmas candy cheaper, and Federal Attorney Charles Clyne announced that his agents had also started evidence gathering in profiteering in butter and eggs.

In Boston sugar was on sale in several stores, co-operative and otherwise, for 9 cents a pound, the lowest it has been in several years.

A dispatch from Oil City, Pa., quotes the price of Western Kentucky crude at $4.50 a barrel, a cut of 50 cents a barrel in oil. The new price is $4.00.

THREE HELD IN 'MRS. RAFFLES' PEIRCE MURDER

Accused Phillips Woman Has Talk With Boston Husband, Who Offers Help

Philadelphia, Nov. 30.—Rose A. Rogers of Boston, claiming to be the husband of Marie Phillips, the woman held in connection with the murder of Joseph La Peirce, manufacturers' agent, arrived here today.

Rogers, a former sailor, talked with the accused woman at City Hall. He assured her he believed in her and would stand by her.

According to the police, she responded that she would go back to him if she "got out of this scrape."

The only other development was the arrest of J. A. Moss in Pittsburgh. The police declared he confessed he was present at the killing of the wealthy agent.

The fourth member of the "murder party," who is being sought, is "Al" Smith, accused by the three already held.

St. Joseph Alumnae Election

Louise F. Downing was made president at the biennial election of officers of Mount St. Joseph Alumnae. Other officers elected were Helen M. Connolly and Margaret M. Sheridan, vice-presidents; Mrs. John M. Dolan, treasurer; Katherine G. McBride, recording secretary, and Mary E. Dwyer, corresponding secretary, and Mrs. Edward Powers, historian.

Paul Keller Resigns

Paul Keller, instructor of German at the Huntington School, has resigned to become instructor of modern languages at the English High School. Henry N. Macintyre of Harvard has been appointed to fill the vacancy.

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Alleged Deserters Held

Ithaca, N. Y., Nov. 30.—Ralph L. Harris and Floyd Nickerson, alleged deserters, have been arrested and sent to Brooklyn Navy yard. Harris left his ship while it was lying in Boston harbor.

CONFESSES

Smith College Looter, Say Police, Has Served Several Jail Tersm

Northampton, Nov. 30.—The amazing record and career of Mrs. Frances M. Davis, whom the local police call "Mrs. Raffles," and who has confessed to the robbery of more than twenty Smith College students, is under investigation today in an effort to check up her statements.

Mrs. Davis was arraigned in the District Court here broke down and admitted the theft of a raccoon skin coat valued at $500 from Miss Mary McBain of Cleveland, a freshman at Smith College. Later the woman also confessed the theft of various articles and sums of money from a score of other students. She was held in $5,000 bail for the Grand Jury.

Among her other victims, according to the police, is the wife of one of the Hampden-Hampshire Women's Relief Association, which, the officers say, Mrs. Davis admits having robbed of $40 a year ago.

LIEUTENANT COONEY HERE ON RECRUITING

Lieutenant Michael J. Cooney arrived in Boston with his bride Miss Ethel Hitchcock, a bride to be of the army recruiting station. No. 2 Tremont row. He has been stationed seven years in the army and under Pershing in the Philippines. During the war he was with Major General Hutchinson at Newport News, a port of embarkation.

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TAX DODGER AGREES TO PAY AFTER BEING JAILED

Lawrence, Nov. 30.—Because he did not pay his back poll taxes, Salvatore Tela, aged twenty-three, of No. 14 Bailey street, was jailed here. The arrest of Tela is the first on record here in many years for an offense of this nature. A few hours in the cell was enough for him, and he agreed to pay $3.12.

$100,000 FIRE AT CONCORD, N. H.

Five-Story Block Containing Theatre, Newspaper, Stores and Offices Wiped Out

Concord, N. H., Nov. 30.—Fire early today destroyed White's block, a five-story brick building at Main and Park streets, having the office of the Concord Patriot, a local morning and evening paper; White's Theatre and several offices and stores. The damage will exceed $100,000.

Thirty-five persons sleeping in adjoining houses were driven to the street in their night clothing and the employes of the Patriot, which was sent about 10 a. m. press, were in danger of being trapped in the basement of the building by the quickly-spreading flames.

The fire started from an unknown cause in White's Theatre, which comprises the third and fourth floors of the building. Last night the hall was used by the local Y. M. C. A. and church for the presentation of a pilgrim pageant, in which many Concord people took part.

A cigarette carelessly thrown in the smoking room of the theatre is believed to be responsible for the conflagration.

The chief of the Concord fire department was called and help summoned from Penacook and several surrounding towns. But 8 o'clock the fire was believed under control.

The employes of the Patriot office summoned by the fire department aroused the families of Alvin Gardner and Clyde Shaw, who live in houses on Park street, adjacent to the burning building, and aroused the roomers in Cole's rooming hotel on the same street.

Holding meeting of the Patriot office and the theatre, the fire burned out the offices of the Concord Board of Trade, the Merrimack County Savings Bank, a barber shop and several apartments on the street floor.

DISCOVERS INJURED MAN IS HIS FATHER

Worcester, Nov. 30.—Patrolman James A. Sutton, Jr., of Station 1 took his father, James A. Sutton, sixty years old, to Pleasant street to the City Hospital after the aged man had suffered an attack of heart trouble, which resulted in his overturning his vehicle. Patrolman Sutton did not know that he was driving the ambulance to the hospital when he reached the scene of the accident. It is expected that the aged man will recover.

LIQUOR-LADEN AUTO HITS MAN; DRIVER HELD

Palmer, Nov. 30.—Alcide Lavallee of Ludlow is under arrest on the charge of driving an auto which struck and probably fatally injured John Bell of the town here. Bell was approached in front of his home by Lavallee, who was driving an auto loaded with liquor, and struck by the machine. He was thrown to the sidewalk, his skull fractured and his body crushed. Lavallee, it is said, then backed his car over the body of Bell, and, after turning his machine around, drove away. He was arrested by Chief of Police Frank Bridges and Officer Edward Wood, who found a quantity of liquor in the car.

FOUR ARRESTED WITH BOGUS LIQUOR STAMPS

New York, Nov. 30.—Four men charged with having counterfeit United States internal revenue stamps in their possession were held in $2,000 bail here by United States Commissioner Hitchcock, as a result of a raid on the Reformatory station at 5.15. It used to reach Concord at 7.25 and is now scheduled to reach there at 8.45. A large quantity of bogus whiskey, gin and brandy labels

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CUTTER ANDROSCOGGIN LOADING FOR CRUISE

The Coast Guard cutter Androscoggin steamed away from the Navy Yard after undergoing a complete overhauling preparatory to Winter cruising. She will be stationed at Provincetown and will cruise between Cape Ann and Block Island. Captain H. D. Hinkley is in command. She is at anchor on the South Boston flats at present, taking on supplies.

PRINCESS FINDS LIFE A 'TRAGEDY'

Sued by "Commoner" She Loved, Beauty Won't Fight Bigamy Charge

By International News Service.

Montreal, Nov. 30.—Declaring that she, a woman of noble birth, married a "commoner," because of her love for him, Mrs. Wallace B. Schutz, formerly Princess Troubetzkoy and called the most beautiful woman Red Cross nurse, said today that she would not contest her husband's suit for divorce, filed at Reno, Nev., May 24.

"I married him because I loved him and because he declared I was the victim of the ambitions of my princess said. "All life is a tragedy, and who knows I may not be here long."

Captain Schutz alleges that the princess has another husband living in Vyborg, Russia, and that he is a former officer in the Russian Imperial Guard, now residing in New York State.

Mrs. Schutz, who is convalescing at the home of friends here from a nervous breakdown, would not discuss that angle of the case.

WILL FIGHT SUIT.

"Regarding my life with Captain Schutz and his action, let him talk," she said. "He will tell all the story I have suffered sufficiently."

Princess Troubetzkoy, Captain Schutz and Princess Troubetzkoy was one of the social events at Washington last Spring. Two years ago Miss Grant was one of the most feted and honored women in America. Following the declaration of war against the United States she resigned from many of her clubs and societies and entered the service of the United States and became a nurse at a naval hospital at Washington.

ASKS WARRANT AGAINST BRAINTREE JITNEY MEN

Latest developments in the controversy between Braintree and Holbrook jitney men, which last November when the Eastern Massachusetts Street Railway withdrew its lines between the two towns in the form of court action today, when B. H. Woodsum, member of the Braintree Board of Selectmen was asked in Quincy District Court for warrants against Walter Wallsteed and Wilfred Boardman, both drivers who are charged with operating a road-tainment permit. Judge Hayden Worthington took both before Jacob Freidman, counsel for the jitney association, but he had never been arrested. According to the police he was arrested at the request of the Massachusetts Reformatory on April 15, 1918, for robbery.

COLLEGE ASSOCIATION HOLDS MEETING ON DEC. 3-4

The thirty-fifth annual meeting of the New England Association of Colleges and Secondary Schools will be held on December 3 at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology and on December 4 in Jacob Sleeper Hall, Boston University.

The first morning there will be a dinner of the association in union with other educational associations which are holding meetings at the same time, in Walker Memorial. Maxwell Ogden Shaw, who lives at 6 o'clock. The recently elected presidents of New England colleges and other men prominent in educational progress will be the guests of honor. Samuel C. Mumford of Maine, a barber shop and several other men were present there.

PLANS K. C. DRIVE FOR RELIEF OF EUROPEANS

Especial preparations are being made by the officers of the Massachusetts Knights of Columbus for the national campaign to raise $3,000,000 for the newly-formed European Relief Council during December. In the work 45 state councils and 1,000 subordinate councils will assist. Supreme Secretary William J. Mortimer announced that the campaign would not be started in a national committee for their own uses. He states that it is at the request of the Vatican that the association is participating in this great co-operative movement.

SEEKS DEFINITION OF JAMAICA GINGER LAW

Charles Crompton, head of Charles Crompton & Co., of No. 1 Boylston st., on his way to Washington today to learn from the internal revenue and prohibition officials there exactly what rights he has under the recent supreme court ruling authorizing the sale of ginger for medicinal purposes. The Lynn product was returned to his firm more than $200 worth of which was seized by them since prohibition went into effect.

BOSTON-CONCORD TRAIN NOW LEAVES AT 4:48 P. M.

The time of the only train from Boston to Concord via the Boston & Maine Railroad has been changed from 5.15 p. m. to 4.48 p. m., arriving at Concord at 7.25 p. m. The train is the Reformatory station at 5.55. It used to reach Concord at 7.25 and is now scheduled to reach there at 8.45. A large quantity of bogus whiskey, gin and brandy labels will continue to leave the train to Boston as at present.

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SENATE WILL PROBE LANDING OF CABLES

Washington, Nov. 30.—A complete investigation of the whole question of landing marine cables on the shores of the United States, including the present controversy between the State Department and the Western Union Telegraph Company, will be made in the United States Senate, according to an announcement made by Senator Kellogg, Republican, of Minnesota.

IRISH CAUSE IS BOOMED IN R. I.

Councils All Over State With 5,000 Membership Planned at Providence

Providence, Nov. 30.—A membership of 5,000 was pledged to the American Association for the Recognition of the Irish Republic at the first meeting of the Mackaway Council at the Narragansett Hotel here.

Following the enthusiastic gathering of prominent Rhode Island men and women connected with the Irish cause, plans were laid for the establishment of affiliated councils in every section of the State.

Martin J. Kaffer, president of the State council, in his opening address declared that the new association will make than a tidal wave from coast to coast.

"We should all realize the seriousness of the work we have in hand," he said. "We are working in a cause that is dear to the heart of every American—a cause for liberty for everyone."

He outlined the aims of the organization, which he stated is to enroll every man, woman and child in sympathy who protests against the war in Ireland as waged by the British government.

"We must not let it be said," he continued "that freedom-loving Americans of Irish birth or descent forsook of Ireland to be crushed by a worse military system than ever operated in the days of the Russian Empire. We have loaned the British Government billions of dollars and we do not want to see this money used to crush the life and liberty out of a smaller nation."

U. S. GETTING ON SOUND BASIS, SAYS COOLIDGE

Lowell, Nov. 30.—The nation today is better off than it was two years ago, declared the Governor Calvin Coolidge, who, with Representatives Robert Luce and John Jacob Rogers, spoke at a dinner of the Lowell Chamber of Commerce.

"People of the United States are beginning to get a right point of view," said the Governor. "We are turning from a war-basis period, and but instead of a peace basis we ought be encouraged. It has the elements of a sound and satisfaction because it means that we are coming to a standard that can be maintained."

PERJURY CHARGED TO POLICE APPLICANT

Henry R. Brushingham, alias Harry R. Brassham, aged twenty-nine, of No. 1 Emerald street, South End, was arraigned in Roxbury Municipal Court on the charge of perjury before a notary republic in connection with his application for appointment to the police department. Brushingham took oath before Jacob Freidman, counsel for the jitney association, that he had never been arrested. According to the police he was arrested at the request of the Massachusetts Reformatory on April 15, 1918, for robbery.

PLANNING TO EASE OFF INCOME TAX EXEMPTION

New York, Nov. 30.—Single men soon will be exempt from income taxes if they earn up to $2,000 and married men up to $4,000, instead of $1,000 and $2,000 respectively, as at present, according to Senator James W. Wadsworth of New York, Republican, who was in this city today. He said there must be immediate taxation relief especially to people of small incomes and that tax and finance problems would be the chief concern of the new administration at Washington.

DOUGHTY REVEALS $105,000 OF SMALL'S MISSING BONDS

Toronto, Ont., Nov. 30.—Guarded by detectives, Frank Doughty, former secretary to Ambrose J. Small, Toronto theatrical magnate, who disappeared from his home here a year ago, went to the home of his sister, Mrs. Mary Doughty, at Port Hope, six miles east to the alibi and produced $105,000 in bonds. These, it is alleged, were taken from Small's deposit vault a year ago. Doughty, who was in the employ of Ambrose Small, denies knowledge of his former employer's whereabouts.

SEEK RELATIVES OF CATHERINE MALLOY

The New York police have asked the police of this city to locate the relatives of Catherine Malloy, aged twenty-four, who was removed from a house at No 216 East Fiftieth street, New York, to the Bellevue here a year ago, went to the home of his sister, Mrs. Mary Doughty, at Port Hope, six miles east to the alibi and produced $105,000 in bonds. These, it is alleged, were taken from Small's deposit vault a year ago. Doughty, who was in the employ of Ambrose Small, denies knowledge of his former employer's whereabouts.

FAIL TO GET CEMETERY PERMIT IN BROOKLINE

Following a spirited hearing in the Brookline Town Hall last night, petitioners including ex-Governor John L. Bates, failed to get a permit to open a cemetery at Newton and Hammond streets, in one of the town's residential districts. The petition "was ordered to withdraw" by the Board of Selectmen.

J. Frank Chase Accused of Speeding Auto

Rev. Jayson F. Chase of Stratford street, West Roxbury, better known as J. Frank Chase, superintendent of the Welch and Ward Society, was before Judge Hayden today in Roxbury Court charged with overspeeding his automobile on the Riverway and failing to heed a signal to slow down. Patrolman O'Connor was complainant.

Mr. Chase pleaded nolo and the complaints were filed.

The hearing was held in Judge Hayden's private office,

TRIES TWICE TO FLEE LOCKUP

Police Believe Auto Thief Man Who Ran Off With Electric Car

Believed to be the man who ran off with an electric car in Newton and later abandoned it at the Auburndale line, Charles D. Crow, aged forty, of West Somerville, was arraigned in the Waltham court today charged with the larceny of an automobile from the home of Charles Dean in Weston.

Crow made two attempts to escape after his arrest, one from the Wellesley lockup and another from the Waltham police station, where he was later taken for safe keeping.

In the Wellesley station it was discovered that he had pulled the metal bunk apart, made a saw of a piece of metal and had almost severed one of the two bars of his cell.

In the Waltham police station he ripped a piece of tin from a bunk and used it in attempting to pry the bars apart. Subsequently he was discovered in the act of attempting to dig the cement from the cell wall.

Crow appeared at the Dean estate and entered the garage, after breaking a window. Picking out a costly limousine he tried to start it and failed. When workmen appeared he told them he was sent to get the car for repairs and enlisted aid in getting it started.

Driving toward Wellesley Farms the car became stalled and he had enlisted the aid of highway repairers and a pair of horses to drag him out of the mud when the police arrived on a tip from the caretaker of the Dean estate, who had become suspicious.

Music at Sea Heard on Wireless Phone

Williamstown, Nov. 30.—Phonograph music played on a ship 100 miles from New York and conversation carried on by the ship's wireless and other ships was distinctly heard by Alan Evans and Talcott M. Banks, Jr., two local young men, on a wireless telephone outfit rigged up at the Banks home.

$10,000 FIRE IN REHOBOTH

Taunton Fire Department Prevents Destruction of Entire Village Centre

Rehoboth, Nov. 30.—The destruction of the village centre by fire was prevented by the prompt aid given the local fire fighting forces by the Taunton fire department, which sent two pieces of apparatus to this city in charge of Chief Fred A. Leonard. They made the run of nine miles in twenty minutes.

The total loss is estimated at $10,000. The fire started in the barn owned by Town Clerk Ellery Goff. It spread to two garages, a slaughter house, a corn crib and several small buildings. All were destroyed and one horse lost his life. Six cows and other livestock were saved.

The home of Mrs. Lydia Peck and other houses in the vicinity caught fire, but the flames were quickly extinguished.

SEIZE RUM CARS; ARREST 6 MEN

Agents Visit Brighton, Wayland and Charlestown; Get $4,680 in Fake Whiskey

Six men were arrested, two vehicles and their contents seized and the Mansion House at Wayland was raided by prohibition agents, who participated in a free-for-all fight at Wayland Inn before placing the proprietor, Joseph K. Levagni, under arrest.

The agents attach considerable importance to the arrest at Commonwealth and Harvard avenues, Brighton, of James Hallas, No. 1772 Washington street, and John Moshia, No. 8 Westminster street, Roxbury.

It is charged that they were carrying, in a large automobile, 112 quarts of a poisonous liquid, contained in bottles labelled "Old Overholt Rye," sealed with spurious bottled in bond revenue stamps, which stated the contents was made in 1915 and bottled in 1920.

The agents found a truck loaded with 100 gallons of spurious whiskey in an alley off Market street, Brighton. They seized the stuff and arrested Vincenzo Rachino, No. 6 Breed court, West End, and Ponzino Nasta, No. 8 Breck court. The value of the truck load is estimated at $3,000. The first auto seizure would have netted the owners about $1,680. It is estimated.

John Doherty was arrested at No. 34 Park street, Charlestown, and three gallons of moonshine found in the place confiscated. It is charged Doherty sold a bottle of moonshine to an agent who entered the place.

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Auto Victim Dies

New Bedford, Nov. 30.—Peter LeBlanc, of No. 2 Weld avenue, whose skull was fractured when the automobile in which he was riding was wrecked last Wednesday night, is

ARLINGTON VOTE ON NEW PLAN

Special Town Meeting Tonight Considers Representative Town Government

A special town meeting will be held in the Robbins Memorial Town Hall, Arlington, tonight to act on the report of a committee appointed at a recent town meeting to formulate a plan for town government that will more adequately meet the wants and needs of the town.

A report of the committee, by a process provided for, divides the town into five precincts, to contain as nearly as possible an equal number of legal voters. This is to be attended to by the present board of selectmen, board of public works and board of assessors.

The members of these several boards, with representatives from the several precincts to a number not exceeding 230, will constitute a representative town meeting, and be entrusted with the management of town affairs, make needed appropriations and act for the town in all capacities, except where otherwise provided for.

The acceptance of the report must be followed with favorable action by the Legislature, before the new plan can be put into force.

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FALL RIVER'S BUSIEST a LINE GIVEN 1-MAN CARS

Fall River, Nov. 30.—One-man cars will replace the regular trolleys on the Globe Village line, one of the most travelled routes in the city, it is announced by the Bay State Railway Company.

America Is 'Too Dry,' Says Gen. Nivelle

By Universal Service.

New York, Nov. 30.—"Prohibition in America is too dry."

General Robert George Nivelle, commander-in-chief of the French armies in the latter part of 1916, now making a tour of the United States, announced the foregoing. He also said the temperance imposition is too strict. "Everyone," he added, "likes a drink of wine occasionally."

The general declared himself overwhelmed by the hugeness of the United States.

Asked for his formula for the prevention of war, the general said he agreed with Washington's dictum that "in time of peace prepare for war."

ARRANGE HOSPITAL AID FOR WAR HEROES

State Commander James T. Duane, American Legion, and General John H. Sherburne have completed the personnel of the State hospitalization committee of the legion, to aid in the State-wide program in aid of wounded and disabled veterans of the World War. The committee will seek to settle all final claims, prepare a program by which delegations from various posts will visit the hospitals with fruit and flowers, candy and smokes and arrange for weekly entertainments at the institutions. A subcommittee to be composed of many prominent Massachusetts women will be appointed by the main committee.

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Archer Will Filed

The will of Robert D. Archer of Winchester, who died October 31, has been filed and names Frederick A. Silva, Jr., of Somerville as executor. The estate is valued at $26,500.

DEATH CLAIMS PRENDERGAST

Former Elevated Official and Park Commissioner Ill for Some Time

James M. Prendergast, former Park Commissioner and vice-president of the Boston Elevated, is dead at his home, No. 135 Bay State road, aged seventy-nine years.

Mr. Prendergast, who had been in failing health for the past six months, was president of the J. M. Prendergast & Co., cotton goods brokers at No. 17 Mills street, and for many years prominent in Bolton public life.

In 1893, Mr. Prendergast, who was born in Boston, the son of Jeffrey and Catherine Prendergast, was appointed a member of the park commission during the administration of Mayor Quincy. He served for thirteen years during which time he was instrumental in perfecting the city's park system.

In 1907 he was urged by the Republican City Committee and the Good Government Association to enter the mayoralty race as a citizens' candidate against Mayor Fitzgerald, but refused.

Mr. Prendergast was first vice-president, a director and a member of the executive and finance committees of the Boston Elevated, a director of the Boston & Maine Railroad, Second National Bank, Commonwealth Trust Company and Hamilton Woolen Company. He was a member of the Republican, Manhattan, Catholic, Algonquin, New Riding, Eastern Yacht and Country clubs.

2 BOSTON MEN HELD IN THEFT

Arrested Pair Charged With Robbing Bromfield Street Brokers

Chief Inspector John R. McGarr was officially notified today of the arrest in Chicago of Izzie W. Sather, a real estate salesman, who is charged with being an accomplice of Louis Kats in the theft of $1,000 from the First National Bank. Kats was previous arrested in St. Louis by Pinkerton operatives and, following his detention, the operatives located Sather in Chicago.

Kats, according to Assistant Superintendent Harry J. Murray, of the Pinkerton forces, secured employment with the stock brokerage house of Andrews and Company, Broomfield street. In that employment he delivered some bonds to a customer, in return for which he received a check for $1,000.

Then, according to the authorities, Sather entered into the scheme when he presented the check made payable to Andrews & Co. to the First National Bank and announced his intention of opening an account. Next he appeared with three $500 Liberty Bonds, which had been secured from a client of Andrews & Co. in Vermont.

These were sold at the current market price and the pair disappeared. Subsequently Kats appeared in a small Pennsylvania town where he undertook work that suited, and secured employment under another name. There, it is charged, he got away with $6,700 by the same method. A trip to a small Iowa town netted $4,500. Sather, in Boston, was known as Jensen.

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Augusta Mayoralty Nominee

Augusta, Me., Nov. 30.—Augusta Democrats in caucus here have nominated Dr. Louis L. Mann for mayor.

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FOES OF LENINE LOSE IN FRANCE

Socialists by Huge Majority Adhere to Endorsement of Russian Leader

Paris, Nov. 30.—The worn out standards of European plutocracy received the greatest set back since the days of Robespierre when the Seine Federation of the National Socialist party voted five to one in favor of adhering to the Third Internationale indorsement of Lenin's twenty-one points.

The results of the provincial district conventions indicate the crushing defeat of the party opposing Lenin. Bordeaux, Strasbourg and Orleans, among others, reporting huge majorities in favor of the Moscow plan.

Each of these districts will send delegates to the general congress of the Socialist party in December, making a Communist victory a practical certainty.

Simultaneously with the announcement of the Socialists, the General Federation of Labor makes the significant announcement that it is opening its own bank with a capital of twenty-five millions.

"These events are the most ominous since the armistice," a high official stated here.

"You must not overlook the Socialist party. It is the second strongest in France, counting among its members such men as Anatole France, Paul Reboux, Henri Barbusse, Paul Boncour and others of the nation's greatest thinkers, the far reaching influence of whom may result in the overthrow of the policy of reaction instituted by Clemenceau."

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VERMONT PRIEST IS SENT TO SMALL PARISH

Newport, Vt., Nov. 30.—The Rev. Joseph M. H. Bastien, for the past twelve years pastor of St. Mary's Catholic Church here, has just been informed of his transfer to the little parish at Vergennes. When Father Bastien came to Newport services were being held in a run down wooden structure. On August, 1908, he caused to be dedicated a beautiful $200,000 granite edifice, the construction of which had previously been abandoned. His transfer has caused profound sorrow among his parishioners.

On the eve of his departure tomorrow night a farewell banquet will be given him at the parish hall by his congregation and his many friends among all the other denominations.

FRANCE REJECTS SEVRES TREATY

Retaliates at British Approval of Constantine and Domination of Near East

Geneva, Nov. 30.—Great Britain will remain in full ownership of the Near East, and former King Constantine will not only resume the throne of Greece but will become the ally of his former enemies, France and England. This is to be the result of the latter's policy of keeping Greece as a bulwark of British power in the Near Orient.

These according to Paris observers arriving here, are the principal results of the first London conference which resulted in the utter defeat of the French policy which sought to build up French influence in Turkey at the expense of England.

The future of Turkey, however, remains in precisely the same situation as during the war, for France has promptly retaliated by declaring that she will not sign the Sevres treaty and will not insist on its ratification by Turkey.

Worcester Bank Has 'Burglar' Scare

Worcester, Nov. 30.—"Watch your step" is the new motto at the Park Trust Company. The accidental setting off of the burglar alarm when a bank examiner stepped on a floor button and the consequent excitement when police reserves rushed to the bank is the reason.

The bank examiner admitted the joke was on him and incidentally the bank paid the usual $5 reward to Traffic Officer Carl Duhan, the first policeman to answer the alarm.

ATTEMPT TO EXCLUDE SEIZED "NICKY" PAPERS

Washington, Nov. 30.—A startling attempt on the part of attorneys for Jules W. "Nicky" Arnstein and the other defendants in the New York bond theft cases to have all evidence contained in documents seized from the Wall Street offices of Sullivan & Co. excluded from the jury, provided a thrill in the trial of the defendants before Justice Gould in Criminal Court No. 1 here. It is admitted that the government's case against Arnstein and the other defendants rests largely upon the data contained in the seized papers.

BANDIT BURNED UP $3,000,000

"Master' Mind" in Omaha Mail Robbery Confesses; Feared Bills Marked

Kansas City, Mo., Nov. 30.—Securities, Liberty bonds and cash valued at between $2,000,000 and $3,000,000, the share of the loot obtained by "Lieutenant" Keith Collins, alleged "master mind" in the $5,000,000 Omaha mail train robbery, were destroyed in a huge "bonfire" at Collins' Omaha home, according to a written confession he made here.

Collins, in his signed confession, declared he had destroyed his share of the loot, excepting $200 in cash, when he heard two of his confederates had been arrested. He burned the cash, which amounted to at least $25,000, before he fled, because he feared the "bills were marked," he said.

BAY STATE MEN WIN ARMY COMMISSIONS

Washington, Nov. 30.—The following Massachusetts men have been given commissions in the regular army, the War Department announced:

George Raymond Connor, State Armory, Stoneham, first lieutenant, infantry; Howard Kirkbride Dirks, No. 3 Howland terrace, Worcester, first lieutenant, infantry; Thomas Joseph Johnston, No. 19 Chauncy street, Boston, first lieutenant, Coast Artillery; Frederick Phillip Schlandt, headquarters North Atlantic Coast Artillery district, Boston, first lieutenant, Coast Artillery; Clyde Clifford Johnston, No. 258 Pleasant avenue, Springfield, captain, Medical Corps; Walter Donovan Kelly, No. 529 Beacon street, Boston, first lieutenant, Dental Corps.

Frenchman Gives Up His Life for Science

Paris, Nov. 30.—Radium research has claimed another victim among the French scientists in the death here of Charles Infriet, who opened the first X-ray laboratory in Paris in 1898.

M. Infriet's work with radium resulted first in the loss of both arms and then in practical paralysis of both legs but he continued his experiments until a week before he died. The advance of poison through his system failed to dampen his scientific ardor.

FOUR MEXICAN RAIDERS EXECUTED BY TROOPS

San Antonio, Tex., Nov. 30.—Four members of General Blanco's filibustering expedition that raided Mexico from Texas last week near Matamoras were caught and executed by federal troops at La Rede, Nuevo Leon, according to late advices here. General Blanco and a small bodyguard escaped.

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BOY DIES AFTER FALL INTO BOILING WATER

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NOTE: Another prominent physician to whom the above article was submitted, said: "Bon-Opto is a very remarkable remedy. Its combined ingredients are well known to druggist eye specialists and widely prescribed by them. The manufacturers guarantee it to strengthen eyesight 50 per cent in one week's time in many instances or refund the money. It can be obtained from any good druggist and a few of the ingredients are put up in tablet form by Bon-Opto Co., Inc., Syracuse, N. Y., and should be kept in almost every family." It is sold by retail good druggists in Boston and vicinity.—Advertisement.

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Hugo's Works—24 volumes, 3/4 morocco 126.00
Thackeray's Works—25 volumes, 3/4 morocco 137.00
O. Henry's Works—13 volumes, 3/4 morocco 65.00
Austin's Works—12 volumes, 3/4 morocco 110.00
Byron's Works—17 volumes, half calf 100.00
Dickens Works—36 volumes, 3/4 morocco 235.00
Dickens' Works—30 volumes, 3/4 morocco 165.00
Scott's Works—78 volumes, full calf 325.00
Shakespeare's Works—30 volumes, 3/4 morocco 95.00
Eliot's Works—24 volumes, 3/4 morocco 126.00

Poetry

Songs of Dogs—An Anthology by Robert Frothingham 1.65
Songs of Men—An Anthology by Robert Frothingham 1.65
Songs of Horses—An Anthology by Robert Frothingham 1.65
Enslaved by John Masefield 2.25
The Elfin Artist by Alfred Noyes 1.50
The Five Books of Youth by Robert Hillyer 1.50
The New Adam by Louis Untermeyer 2.00
Heart of New England by Abbie Farwell Brown 1.50
As the Wind Blow by Amelie Rives 1.75
Collected Poems vol. III., by Alfred Noyes 2.50
The Book of Humorous Verse by Carolyn Wells 7.50
The Modern Book of French Verse—edited by Albert Boni 2.50
Salt Water Poems and Ballads by John Masefield 2.50
Hide and Seek by Christopher Morley 1.50
Smoke and Steel by Carl Sandburg 2.00
Flame and Shadow by Sara Teasdale 1.75

Jordan Marsh Company

Stocks Irregular at Noon; Call Money Opens at 6%

OILS LED THE N. Y. LIST

Steels Also Show Early Strength; Rails Have Heavy Tone; Coppers Down

By W. H. ROSS,
Financial Editor.

Stocks were irregular in New York at noon, but the majority were showing gains and the tone was strong. There was a rally late in the morning which took many issues to their highest. The market was fairly active, first hour transactions totalling 167,600 shares. Call money opened at 6 per cent.

Foreign exchange had an easier tendency at the opening, demand sterling yielding ⅝ of a cent to $3.45. France, lire and marks were lower.

HIGHER AT OPENING.

Small gains were general at the opening and the market had a better tone in most respects. Oils were the strongest class with steels next. Rails were mixed, but most of them went down. Little change occurred in motors. Shipping stocks and sugars. Equipments were unusually quiet. Coppers were heavy. Chile and Kennecott each set a record low prices, while Chino touched a new bottom figure for 1920. Reploglé was a weak and rather erratic issue. After receding more than six points it recovered most of its loss and then sagged close to its former low. Vanadium and Bethlehem B were off. So was Stromberg. Gulf Oil showed little life. As one commentator put it, trading "dragged." Stocks were in neither active nor demand. There is more disposition around Wall Street just now to go long than to speculate. The list was irregular at the end of an hour.

RAILS WERE QUIET.

Oils and steels have replaced rails as leaders so far this year, but their earnings were more satisfactory than for September, but not up to expectations based upon increased rates. But lower prices for commodities will reduce operating costs and the carriers should be able to make a much better showing before Spring, even if business depression should prevail during that traffic. The bulk of rail receipts are being paid out in wages, but there are indications that spending less for new equipment than has been expected. Rail buying is far from complete. Improved shop efficiency is enabling roads to attain better results in handling existing stock than was possible in war times. It will take close economy on the part of management to make our transportation systems pay even with present freight and passenger charges for some time.

REVERE BEACH ROAD SHOWING A PROFIT

A ten-cent fare has been of great help to the Boston, Revere Beach & Lynn Railroad and for the third quarter of this year it was able to report a surplus after all charges of $69,360. This compares with a deficit of $91,978 at the end of 1919. In the first six months of 1920 the net added $164,528 to its income.

Higher fuel costs and increased wages cut the road behind. For the ten months ended with October waves totaling $5,444,000 against $4,650,689 for the like period in 1919. During the first ten months of this year the coal bill increased $111,943.

FALL IS FATAL TO NORTH ADAMS WOMAN

North Adams, Nov. 30.—As the result of an accident several days ago when she fell and broke her thigh, Mrs. Ruth B. Millard, aged eighty years, a widow of the late Dr. H. J. Millard, is dead at her home on Church street. Her daughter, Miss Blackinton, was one of the Blackinton brothers for whom the village of Blackinton was named.

Road Revenues Increase

September rail reports to the Interstate Commerce Commission show an increase of $117,588,879 in gross revenues for the month but while the roads did a good business their profits decreased. The returns from 187 Class 1 roads and four town switching and terminal companies show a net gain in gross but $2,336,411 decrease in net. For the first nine months of 1920 the gain in gross was $657,379,728; but operations resulted in a deficit of $47,042,344,106. The decrease in net amounted to $489,756,216.

Paper Money and Gold

According to the National City Bank's tally of gold and world paper currency, which averaged 66.1 per cent. in 1913 and 174.8 per cent. at the close of the war, was 13.5 per cent. at the end of the first peace year and 8.2 per cent. on the second anniversary of the armistice.

Meat Shipments Decrease

Retrenchment of living expenses by American households is reflected in Chicago shipments of fresh and cured meats. For the month of November 27 they totaled 38,324,000 pounds, compared with 94,049,000 for the corresponding week last year.

October Crude Oil Output

During October the production of crude oil in this country totaled 39,838,000 barrels and consumption is estimated at 39,244,000 barrels. The California output for the month was 9,459,000 barrels.

Brokers' Loans Reduced

Wall Street estimates brokers' loans as not exceeding $750,000,000 in the aggregate at the present time. This is the smallest total in six years. As stocks declined brokers' loans have been steadily liquidated.

Cotton Market Opening

New York, Nov. 30.—The cotton market opened steady at a decline of four points to a net advance of eleven points. Liverpool, first on working forward to a net gain of 20 points. Private cables were issued on poor rains from Liverpool, bearish English opinions and selling orders from that trade. There were also some selling orders from spot houses. From some quarters manufacturing while offerings from the South were limited. Private cables reported a strong Egyptian future market, with January contracts closing at 38.75, compared with an opening quotation at 38. The December notices were in circulation at the start here. New Orleans was a small seller. Opening prices were: December 15.20; January 15.05; March, 15.02; May, 15.01; July, 15.45; October, 15.30.

Chicago Grain Market

Chicago, Nov. 30.—Wheat opened 1 to 1¼c lower corn ¼ to ⅝c lower, oats ¼ to ⅝c lower and lard was unchanged to 10c lower. Opening prices were: Wheat, December, 1.55¾; March, 1.60¾; May, 1.52; corn, December, 69; March, 72¾; May, 74¾; oats, December, 45¾; March, 48¾; May, 48¾. Lard, November, 19.70; January, 14.80.

New York Sub-Treasury Loss

New York, Nov. 30.—The Sub-Treasury lost $650,000 to the banks on Monday's clearing house for cash net loss since Friday $624,000.

New York Stocks

Prices on the New York Stock Exchange from the opening until 11:00 o'clock had the following ranges:

Stocks	Open	High	Low	Latest
Adv Rumely	18	18	18	18
Adla-Chalmers	80½	80¾	80½	80½
Am Ag Chem	66¼	68	66¼	66¾
Am Beet Sugar	33¾	33¾	33¾	33¾
Am Can	25¾	25¾	25¾	25¾
Am Car Fdy	114	114	114	114
Am Ding Bch	7¾	7¾	7¾	7¾
Am Hide & L pf	40¾	40¾	40	40¼
Am Intl Corp	41	41	40¾	41
Am La France	9¾	9¾	9¾	9¾
Am Linseed Oil	61	61	61	61
Am Locomotive	145¾	145¾	145	145¾
Am Safety Razor	10	10	9¾	10
Am Sug Ref	107¾	107¾	105¾	106
Am Smelt	45¾	44¾	44½	44½
Am Steel Fdy	30¾	31¼	30¾	31¼
Am Tel & Tel	97¾	98¾	97¾	98¾
Am Tob Tr	99	99	98¾	99
Am Tobacco	117	117	115¾	116¾
Am Woolen	77	77¼	76¾	77¼
Am Zinc	7¾	7¾	7¾	7¾
Anaconda	30¾	30¾	30¾	30¾
Associated Oil	103	103	103	103
Atchison T & F	84¾	84¾	83½	83½
Atchison T pf	87¾	87¾	87¾	87¾
Atlantic Fruit Co	13	13	13	13
Atlantic G W I	103½	104	103½	104
Baldwin Loco	96¾	97¾	96¾	97¼
Balt & Ohio	39¾	39¾	39¼	39¼
Barnet Leather	32¾	32¾	32¾	32¾
Bein Motor	2¾	3	2¾	3
Beth Steel B	85¾	85¾	82¾	84
Beth Steel 8pc	102	102	101	101¾
Booth Fisheries	4¾	4¾	4¾	4¾
Brunswick Balke	37¼	37¼	37¼	37¼
Caddo Oil	14¾	14¾	14¾	14¾
Cal Petroleum	20¾	21	20¾	21
Can Pacific	117¾	118¾	116¾	118¾
Cer de Lastlet	38¾	38¾	38	38¾
Cerro de Pasco	32¾	32¾	32¾	32¾
Chandler	78¾	78¾	77¾	77¾
Ches & Ohio	64¾	64¾	64¾	64¾
Chi Gt West	4¾	5	4¾	5
Chi Rock Island	31¾	31¾	31	31
Chi R I & Pac	66	66	66	66
Chi Mil T pf	77¾	77¾	77¾	77¾
Chi St Pa	33½	33½	33½	33½
Chi St P pf	61¾	61¾	61¾	61¾
Chi N W	76	77	76¾	76¾
Chile	11¾	11¾	11¾	11¾
Chino	18¾	18¾	18¼	18¼
Cluett Peabody	53	53	52¾	53
Coca Cola	32¾	32¾	32¾	32¾
Con Gas	79½	79½	78¾	79¼
Con Cig & Elec	56¾	56¾	56¾	56¾
Columbia Graph	14¾	14¾	14¾	14¾
Con Candy	8¾	8¾	8¾	8¾
Con Gas	79¾	79¾	79¾	79¾
Con Textile	19¾	19¾	19¾	19¾
Corn Product	72¾	72¾	72¾	72¾
Cosden Oil	31¾	31¾	30¾	30¾
Cuban Cane S pf	68¾	68¾	68¾	68¾
Crucible Steel	90	90	88¾	90
Cuyuna Ir	14¾	14¾	14¾	14¾
Cuyuna R pf	18	18	18	18
Detroit Edison	86¾	86¾	86¾	86¾
Dome Mines	23¾	23¾	23¾	23¾
Dom Coal	24¾	24¾	24¾	24¾
Dom Coal pf	70¾	70¾	70¾	70¾
Dom Textile	19¾	19¾	19¾	19¾
Dom Product	72¾	72¾	72¾	72¾
Dodge Bros	31¾	31¾	31¾	31¾
Dominion Steel	69¾	69¾	69¾	69¾
Duluth Edison	16¾	16¾	16¾	16¾
Eastman Kodak	133¾	133¾	133¾	133¾
Elec Storage Bat	63¾	63¾	63¾	63¾
Emporium Corp	16¾	16¾	16¾	16¾
Erie	13¾	13¾	13¾	13¾
Fisher Body	66¾	66¾	66¾	66¾
Fisher Body pf	91¾	91¾	91¾	91¾
Fisk Rubber	13¾	13¾	13¾	13¾
Freeport Tex Co	16¾	16¾	16¾	16¾
Gen Electric	117	117	116¾	116¾
Gen Motors	16¾	16¾	16¾	16¾
Gen Motors D	66¾	6.5	66¾	66¾
Gen Motors D pf	75¾	75¾	75¾	75¾
Gray & Davis	13¼	13¼	13¼	13¼
Great Canadian	20¼	20¼	20¼	20¼
Gt Nor R ctf	69¾	69¾	69¾	69¾
Haskell Barker	69¾	69¾	69¾	69¾
Hendee Mfg Co	17	17	17	17
Houston Oil	82¾	83¾	82¾	83¾
Hudson	89	89	89	89
Hupp Motor	34¾	34¾	34¾	34¾
Illinois Central	96¾	96¾	96¾	96¾
Indiahoma Oil Co	26¾	26	26	26
Int Motor	31	31	31	31
Int Nickel	24¾	24¾	24¾	24¾
Int Paper	14¾	14¾	14¾	14¾
Int Paper pf	74	74	74	74
Int Sug Ref	21¾	21¾	21¾	21¾
Kelly-Springfield	42¾	42¾	42¾	42¾
Kennecott	18¾	18¾	18¾	18¾
Keystone Tire	9	9	9	9
Lack Steel	72¾	72¾	72¾	72¾
Lehigh Valley	49¾	49¾	49¾	49¾
Lee Rubber	9¾	9¾	9¾	9¾
Lee Tire	24¾	24¾	24¾	24¾
Lee Marine pf	65¾	65¾	65¾	65¾
Loc Perm	161¾	162¾	160¾	161¾
Loc pf	89¾	89¾	89¾	89¾
Middle States Oil	13¾	13¾	13¾	13¾
Mid States Oil pf	74¾	74¾	74¾	74¾
M K T	27¾	27¾	27¾	27¾
M K T pf	64¾	65	64¾	65
N Y Central	72¾	72¾	72¾	72¾
N Y Central	74¾	74¾	74¾	74¾
N Pacific	86	86	86	86
Nevada Con	19¾	19¾	19¾	19¾
Nevada Con	101¾	101¾	101	101¾
Norfolk & W	101¼	101¼	101	101¼
Oklahoma P & R	34¾	34¾	34¾	34¾
Ontario Silver	4¾	4¾	4¾	4¾
Ontario Silver	7¾	7¾	7¾	7¾
Pan American	78¾	79¾	78¾	78¾
Pan Am B	40¾	40¾	40¾	40¾
Penn Sea Steel	99¾	99¾	99¾	99¾
Pierce-Arrow	24	24	24	24
Pierce Oil	12½	12½	12	12
Pullman	104¾	104¾	104¾	104¾
Ray Consolidated	13¾	13¾	13¾	13¾
Reading	87¾	87¾	87¾	87¾
Repogle Steel	72¾	72¾	66	70
Republic I & S	69¾	69¾	69¾	69¾
Royal Dutch	68	68¾	67¾	68
Savage Arms	17	17	17	17
Sears Roebuck	104½	104½	104½	104½
Sinclair Oil	25¾	24¾	24¾	25¼
Southern Pac	111¾	111¾	109¾	109¾
So Railway	25	25	24¾	25
So Louis S F	25	25	24¾	25
Southern Ry	41	41	40	41
Studebaker	46	48	45¾	46
Superior Oil	14	14	14	14
Texas Company	35¾	35¾	35¾	35¾
Texas Co pf	97¾	97¾	97¾	97¾
Texas & Pacific	20	19¾	19¾	19¾
Tob Products	54	54¾	54	54¾
Tone Con Oil	8¾	8¾	8¾	9
Union Oil	21	22	21	21¾
United Fruit	196	196	196	196
U S Ind Alco	105¾	106	104¾	105¾
Union Pacific	122¾	122¾	122	122¾
U S Food Prod	31¾	31¾	31¾	31¾
U S I Alcohol	68¾	69¾	68¾	69¾
U S Retail Store	60¼	60¾	59¾	60¾
U S Rubber	65¾	66	65¾	66
U S Smelting	42¾	43	42¾	42¾
U S Steel	93¾	94¾	93¾	94¾
U S Steel pf	107	107¾	106¾	107
Utah Copper	64	64	63¾	64
Va-Car Chem	57¾	57¾	57¾	57¾
Vanadium Steel	42¾	43¼	42¼	42¾
Wabash	9	9	9	9
Wabash pf	24¼	24¼	24¼	24¼
West Maryland	11¾	11¾	11¾	11¾
Westinghouse	42¾	42¾	42¼	42¼
Wheel & L E	11	11	11	11
White Motor	39¾	39¾	39¾	39¾
White Oil	17¾	17¾	17¾	17¾
Wilson Co Inc	32¾	32¾	32¾	32¾
Worthington	45¾	45¾	45¾	45¾
Worth P & M	47	47	47	47

GOVERNMENT BONDS

Lib 3½s	91 00	91 00	91 76	91 76
1st 4s 1932-47	88 00	88 00	88 00	88 00
2d 4s 1927-42	89 73	89 73	89 73	89 73
1st 4½s 1932-47	98 98	98 98	98 98	98 98
2d 4½s 1928	85 81	85 90	85 72	85 82
3d 4½s	94 00	94 00	94 00	94 00
4th 4½s	86 54	86 4.	5 88	85 88
Victory 4¾s	100 00	100 00	100 00	100 00
Victory 4¼s	95 88	95 90	95 84	95 90

*Ex-dividend.

Boston Stocks

Prices on the Boston Stock Exchange from the opening until 11:30 a. m. had the following ranges:

Stocks	Open	High	Low	Latest
Am Ag Chem	66¾	68½	66½	68
Am Cot Oil Exp	60	61	60	61
Am Tel & Tel	98¼	99¼	98¼	98¾
Am Woolen pf	92¾	92¾	92¾	92¾
Anaconda	30¾	30¾	30¾	30¾
Arkansas Nat Gas	2¾	2¾	2¾	2¾
Atlantic Fruit	13	13	13	13
Atlantic G W I	103¾	104	103¾	104
Atlantic Gulf	97¾	97¾	97¾	97¾
Boston & Maine	39	39	38	38
Boston & Maine pf	37¾	37¾	37¼	37¼
B M I pr C	39	39	38	38
B M I pr C D	37¾	37¾	37¼	37¼
B M I pr C D	75	75	75	75
Boston Elevated	61¾	61¾	61	61¾
Cal & Arizona	46	46	46	46
Cal & Hecla	246	246	245	245
Carson Hill Min	13½	13½	13½	13½
Carson Hill Non pf	91	91	91	91
Copper Range	28	28	28	28
Davis-Daly	6	6	6	6
East Butte	8	8	8	8
Edison Electric	160	160	158	158
Elder Corp	18¾	18¾	18¾	18¾
General Electric	127	127	127	127
Isle Royale	35¾	35¾	35¾	35¾
Morton Pow	11¾	11¾	11¾	11¾
Granby Cons	19	20	20	20
Greg & Darby	25¾	25¾	25¾	25¾
Int Cement Corp	23	25	23	25
Int Nickel	24¾	24¾	24¾	24¾
Int Product Co pr	26	26	25	25
Kewenaw	1¾	1¾	1¾	1¾
Lake Copper	18¾	18¾	18¾	18¾
La Salle	2	2	2	2
Libby-McNeill	11¾	12	11¾	12
Maine Central	11¾	11¾	11¾	12
Mass Gas Co	83½	83½	83	83
Mass Gas pf	90	90	90	90
Mayflower-O	3¾	3¾	3¾	3¾
Mergenthaler	124	124	124	124
Mex Investment	25¾	25¾	25¾	25¾
Mohawk	46	46	46	46
New Boston pf	87	87	87	87
New Haven R R	21¾	21¾	20¾	21
N E Telephone	96	96	96	96
New River pf	57	57	57	57
Nipissing	8¾	8¾	8¼	8¼
North Butte	10¼	10¼	10¼	10¼
Orpheum Circuit	35¾	35¾	35¾	35¾
Osceola Mining	23½	23½	23½	23½
Pierce Oil	12	12	12	12
Reece Int Hole Co	13	13	13	13
Superior & Boston	2	2	1¾	1¾
Swift & Co	106¼	106¼	106	106½
Swift International	27	27	27	27
Trinity Copper	1	1	1	1
Union Pacific	120	120	120	120
Union Twist Drill	22	22	22	22
United Drug	103½	103½	103½	103½
United Drug 1st pr	45	45	45	45
U Shoe Machine	36¾	36¾	36¾	36¾
U Shoe Mach pf	24	24	24	24
U S Smelting	43	43¼	42½	42½
U S Smelting pf	42¾	42¾	42¾	42¾
*U S Steel	82	82¼	82	82¼
Utah Cons	3½	3¾	3½	3¾
Utah Metals	3	3	3	3
Ventures Ltd	16¼	16¼	16¼	16¼
Wadsworth Mfg Co	8	8	8	8
W E R R	38½	38½	38	38
W E R R pf	49½	49½	49½	49½
W Ed Michael	3¾	3¾	3¾	3¾
Wolverine	10½	10½	10½	10½

GOVERNMENT BONDS

1st 4½s 1932-47	88 40	88 40	88 40	88 40
2nd 4½s 1928	85 90	85 94	85 84	85 94
4th 4½s 1933	94 00	94 00	94 00	94 00
Victory Note 4¾s	96 96	96 96	95 96	96 96
Lib Reg 2d 4½s	84 54	84 54	84 54	84 54
C B Q joint 4s	96¾	96¾	96¾	96¾
Chic Junc R 5s	78	78	78	78
Miss Riv Power 5s	76	76	76	76
Pond Creek 6s	96	96	96	96

*Ex-dividend.

DEMAND FOR COPPER CONTINUES SLACK

The demand for copper continues to be very slack. It is said that practically no metal is being sold for domestic consumption. The export report has been disposed of at 13¾ cents a pound for first quarter delivery aside ship in New York.

While large producers are showing more disposition to book first quarter business at 14 cents a pound smaller selling interests are willing to accept less.

Wall Street Briefs

For the third quarter of this year the Barnes-King Development Company for the first time in its history shows a net loss of $17,795 on operations.

The United States Steel Company has closed its blast furnaces and will probably not start them again before January 1, it is reported in certain quarters.

The Air Reduction Company reports for the nine months ended with September 30 net profits available to interest charges of $1,014,-000, which is sufficient to cover interest requirements on outstanding $2,000,000 7 per cent. debentures.

Although net profits of the Allied Packers Company reports per share earned for the twelve months ended September 30 last were $2.39 per share.

Although net profits of the Allied Packers for the first half of the November fiscal year amounted to $1,000,000, it is estimated that the twelve months is estimated at around $2,000,000, or $4.80 a share on the common, after allowing for $1,000,000 preferred stock and $1.75 on preferred, payable Jan. 15 to stock of record Dec. 15.

Patsel Brewing Co. declared quarterly 1¾ per cent. preferred dividend, payable Jan. 1 to stock of record Dec. 15.

Regular dividends of 1¾ per cent. on common and 1¾ per cent. preferred, payable Jan. 1 to stock of record Dec. 15.

Warne & Chisacc Railroad will be sold on Dec. 15 by order of foreclosure.

Pierce-Arrow Motor Co. declared quarterly 1¾ per cent. preferred dividend, payable Jan. 1 to stock of record Dec. 15.

Regular dividends of 1¾ per cent. on common and 1¾ per cent. preferred, payable Jan. 1 to stock of record Dec. 15.

The Beaver Board Co. declared quarterly dividends of 1¾ per cent. and of 1¾ per cent. on preferred, payable Dec. 15.

Latest Foreign Gold Receipts

The latest gold receipts to arrive in New York from Europe amounted to $1,200,000, and arrived on the steamship Lapland.

Rail Earnings

Delaware, Lackawanna & Western's October revenue increased $2,435,205. Net operating income increased $248,444. For ten months revenue increased $3,000,000. Net income decreased $3,745,447.

Net income was materially affected by the Railroad Labor Board's decision, which required the company to show current assets aggregating $5,000,000 in excess of liabilities, as against $3,000,000 heretofore. This reduced net income $1,000,000 and is not income $1,369,522.

Bessemer & Lake Erie R. R. Paul reports for October $2,700,828 increase in gross and $296,-146 increase after fixed charges. For ten months the gain in gross was $13,715,722, but the net fell off $2,625,000, a decrease of $2,893,223.

Louisville & Nashville's gross increased $1,-000,000 for the month and $6,000,000 for ten months.

Missouri Pacific's gross increased $1,000,000 for the month and $22,711,688.

Toledo, St. Louis & Western's net in operating revenue was $817,166. For ten months revenue increased $6,000,000. There was a deficit of $6,035,206. The deficit decreased $1,000,000.

Norfolk & Western's October operating revenue increased $1,578,937, but net operating income decreased $47,000. From January revenue increased $5,537,291 and the road reports $3,466,209 deficit, a decrease of $12,484,073.

Boston Curb

Open prices on the Boston curb today were:

	Yes'day's close.	Today's opening.
Albany	21c	21c
Ariz Silver	21c	21c
Big Ledge	11c	11c
Butte & Ballaklava	20c	20c
Cactus Hawk	30c	30c
Cortez & Montana	42c	42c
Crown	45c	45c
Elizabeth	16c	16c
Eureka	10c	10c
Gadsden	40c	50c
Mass Bear		
Mercantile	12c	12c
Mex Oil	1¾	1¾
Nevada Metals	15c	15c
Tonopah	20c	27c
Tonopah Ex	39c	39c
Verde Mines	45c	45c

New York Curb

Opening bid and ask prices on the New York Curb today were:

	Bid.	Asked.
Aetna Exp	2¾	2¾
Angle Am Oil	1¾	1¾
Big Ledge	11	12
Boston & Wyoming Oil	15-16	1
Cactus	1¾	2
Carib Syndicate	2¾	3¼
Consolidated Copper	13	13¼
Condor Oil	6¾	6¾
Cortez Silver	42	43
Crown Reserve	45	46
Dividend	1	1¼
Elizabeth	16	16½
Howe Sound	2¾	2¾
Jerome	1	1¼
Merrill Oil	11-16	13-16
Mummy Oil	1¾	1¾
Nat Lead pf	140	142
National Oil	1¾	1¾
Nipissing Mines	8¼	8½
Priority Oil	300	315
Ryan Oil	1¾	1¾
Sapulpa	1¾	1¾
S O Indiana	315	320
S O California	325	332
S O Kentucky	1-16	1-8
Texon Royalty	1¾	1¾
Tonopah Ex	104	110
U S Steamship	1¾	1¾
U S Steamship pf	1¾	1¾

SAXONY'S TEXTILE INDUSTRY REVIVING

Washington, Nov. 30. — Reports from Berlin to the Department of Commerce today show that several strikes recently have broken out in that city, the largest of which involves 13,000 workers and 3,000 other employes "in the newspaper industry."

"The textile industry in Saxony is reported to be taking on new life," unofficial trade representatives in Berlin stated. "This revival is attributed to foreign orders. German manufacturers believe that the participation of German delegates at London and Brussels trade conferences is a forerunner of Germany's renewed participation in international trade."

Flour and Produce

Butter receipts were 217,470 pounds. Prices were:

Extra creamery, assorted spruce tubs, at 58 to 58½c; extra creamery, ash tubs at 57½ to 58c; extra creamery, boxes prints, at 58 to 59½c; firsts at 48 to 56c; seconds at 40 to 46c; ordinary at 40 to 50c; ladles at 39 to 40c; dairy butter at 38 to 45c.

Cheese—Receipts 2,020 boxes. Fresh choice at 32c; storage specials at 33 to 33½c.

Eggs—Receipts 10,110 cases. Fancy hennery, at $1.10 to $1.12; fancy selected, at 98c to 99c; Western extras at 90 to 92c; Western firsts at 85 to 87c; Western seconds at 80 to 82c; storage extras at 58 to 59c; storage firsts at 56 to 57c.

Beans—Receipts 1070 bushels. New York and Michigan choice pea at $5.50 to $5.75 per 100 pounds; common to good at $5 to $5.25; mixed small white at $5.50 to $5.75; red kidney at $9 to $10; marrow at $10.50 to $11; fair to good at $9 to $10; choice at $10 to $10.50; yellow eyes at $9 to $9.50; dried Lima beans at $8 to $8.50.

Poultry—Receipts 1,000 pounds. Fowls, fair to good, 40 to 42c; medium, 35 to 38c; large roasters, 45 to 50c; medium roasters, 35 to 38c; broilers, 43 to 45c; squabs, $6 to $8 per dozen; pigeons, $3 to $3.50 per pair; corn dry-packed in boxes, choice turkeys, 52 to 55c; fair to good, 45 to 48c; large fowls, 40 to 42c; medium sized, 35 to 38c; small, 32 to 35c; broilers, 43 to 45c; squabs, $6 to $8 per dozen; pigeons, $3 to $3.50 per pair; corn dry-packed in boxes, choice turkeys, 52 to 55c; fair to good, 45 to 48c; large fowls, 40 to 42c; medium sized, 35 to 38c; small, 32 to 35c; broilers, 43 to 45c; Western, ice-packed, in barrels, 40 to 42c; Western, ice-packed, in boxes, 42 to 44c; large roasting chickens, 34 to 36c; medium roasting chickens, 30 to 32c; small, 28 to 30c; medium, 34 to 35c; small, 28 to 30c; fowl, 30 to 32c; old roosters, 25 to 26c per pound; ducks, 35 to 38c per pound.

Flour receipts were 2,920 barrels.

Prices were:

Spring prices, per 100 pounds in sacks: Spring patents at $9.50 to $9.90 for standard patents; at $9.90 to $10 for special brand; winter patents at $9.80 to $9.90; soft winter straights at $9.60 to $10; soft winter straights at $9.25 to $9.50; soft winter wheat clears at $8.50 to $8.75; hard winter straights at $8.50 to $8.75.

Corn—Receipts none. Carload prices: For No. 2 yellow, $1.60; shipping point at $1.60. No. 3 yellow at 98 to 99c. Corn receipts for 100 pounds in sacks: Yellow meal at $3.50; white cornmeal at $3 to $3.25; yellow cornmeal at $3.25 to $3.50; white cornmeal at $3 to $3.25.

Oats—Receipts 1,072 bushels. Carload prices: For No. 2 white, 68 to 69c; No. 3 white, 65 to 66c for fancy 40 to 42 pounds, 64 to 65c for regular 38 to 40 pounds, and 62 to 63c for regular 34 to 36 pounds. Oat receipts for 90 pounds in sacks, rolled $3.25, cut and ground $3.25.

Rye—Receipts none. Carload prices: Shipment, spring bran at $40 to $41; middlings at $42 to $44; mixed feed at $42 to $44; middlings at $42 to $44; cottonseed meal at $42.50 to $43; linseed meal at $43 to $44; corn meal at $42; hominy feed at $41.50; red dog at $56; white hog at $62; gluten feed at $52 to $53. Hay and Straw—Receipts 19 cars; hay, timothy, No. 1, at $36 to $37; No. 2 at $34 to $35; No. 3 at $32 to $33; clover mixed at $34 to $35; No. 1 Eastern at $35 to $37; No. 2 at $33 to $34; No. 3 at $31 to $32; straw at $20 to $20; clover mixed, at $24 to $25; No. hay at $20 to $20; rye straw at $27 to $28; oat straw at $18 to $19.

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number, although their contents are nearly all alike.

During the last few days the Basket Fund editor's desk has been piled high with these missives. Each letter tells its own sad tale of destitution, illness, unemployment and despair. Some are written by mothers with pinched faces who hardly know where the next meal for their brood of kiddies will come from. Others are written by the children themselves in the hope that they will not be hungry on Christmas Day. All will be investigated and the worthy, so far as possible, assisted.

YOUR BIT IS WELCOME.

The Boston American will do its part to see that no child in Greater Boston will go hungry Christmas and hopes that the readers who are in a position to help, and have not yet already contributed, will do so at once. The good we will do will be limited only by the amount of money we receive.

A check for $25 was sent by John H. Myer, who wrote: "I am heartily in sympathy with your great work, and wish you the very best of luck."

Local No. 1120, T. L. A., of the Boston & Albany Railroad, sent $10.

Joshua Merrill, proprietor of the Boston Galvanizing Company, who contributed $10 to the fund last year, has given $15 to the fund this year.

Among the clever entertainers contributing their services in aid of the Boston American Christmas Basket Fund is Kathleen Mahoney of Roslindale, who will be seen in a group of original dancers at Sewall Hall, December 21.

Another persons who is giving much aid to the Basket Fund is George H. Curry of Roxbury. Mr. Curry is planning a children's party in Roxbury which he believes will be one of the biggest entertainments of its kind ever given in that section of the city.

Little Dick Delheim of Brookline is an enthusiastic worker in benalf of the fund. Dick has plans afoot which he thinks will materially aid in giving free Christmas dinners, through the Basket Fund, to many Greater Boston Children. He and his dog "Blackie" are inseparable pals.

A South End boy wrote as follows:

"I have read of the Christmas baskets you give away to the poor people. My father is out of work and my mother has to work nights to keep my sister and myself. If I could get a basket it would help my mother very much."

Another South Boston child asks for a basket:

"I am a poor little girl and my father is dead. My mother is out working every night. We have six children and the oldest one of us is ten years old. Please don't forget us or we will have a poor Christmas."

This letter was written by a South Boston child:

"I am a little girl twelve years old. I have two brothers, one is seven and one is ten. My mother is dead and my father deserted us five years ago. We live with our grandmother and we find it very hard to get along. Please do not forget us this Christmas, for if you do we will have no dinner."

PLEAS FROM ROXBURY.

A Charlestown woman wrote:

"Would you kindly help us this Christmas, because my husband is ill and I have five children to support from the ages of three to twelve. Thank you for your good, kind work."

A woman from Roxbury asks for food to feed four hungry mouths.

"Please send me a basket this Christmas. I have four small children and I am very poor. Please don't forget us this year as you can't imagine how poor we are. I should be very glad if you would inexpensively."

The daughter of a Roxbury woman writes asking for help for her sick mother:

"Will you please send me a Christmas basket? We have eight children and none of us is old enough to work. Mother is always sick and we won't have any Christmas dinner unless you send us something. There are four boys and four girls, and we all go to school. We would be very, very much pleased with anything you would send us. We have no coal and it is cold."

THESE FAMILIES LARGE.

A Charlestown woman, whose husband "is out of work, writes:

"I am writing to you this year for a basket, as my husband is out of work and I have three small children. The oldest is four, one is three and the youngest is four months. My husband is away trying to get work, and I feel as though my children and myself will be without a Christmas dinner if you do not help us. This is the first time I have ever appealed for help, as my husband always worked steady until this year. Thanking you in advance, and trusting with the help of God you will not forget me and my little ones, I remain."

LATE CONTRIBUTIONS.

Contributions to the fund follow:

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George H. Curry of Roxbury, above, and Dick Delheim, who are giving their services in aid of the Basket Fund.

Miss Kathleen Mahoney, clever dancer, who will give an entertainment for the Basket Fund.

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15 QUALIFY FOR COUNCIL FIGHT

Lively Campaign Now on for 3 Vacancies; 5 Qualify for School Committee

Three city councillors seeking re-election have to worry them besides the women's vote, the largest field of candidates in more than a decade. The city election commissioners announce that fifteen have qualified, or five men for each vacancy to be filled. Five candidates qualified for the two vacant places on the school committee.

It will be a lively campaign from now until the voters pick the winners on December 14, with three candidates from South Boston, four from Dorchester and two each from Roxbury, Charlestown and Jamaica Plain.

ALL SEEK TOP OF TICKET.

The drawing for places a week or so hence will be attended with much trepidation as the top places on the ticket are usually considered good for 2,000 or 3,000 extra votes.

South Boston is to be represented in the fight by President James T. Moriarity, Councillor Henry E. Hagan and Patrick H. Shanahan. Jamaica Plain, by Fred P. Kinney, said to be a Good Government certainty, and John J. O'Brien, Democratic, by John H. Dorsey. Thomas J. Ball, picked by the Good Government last year, Thomas A. Elston, a building wrecker, and Joseph Giardina, in Charlestown, Daniel J. McDonald, a City Council veteran defeated last year, will run again, and Martin J. Gaffney, a labor man, will try to share the Charlestown vote with him. Roxbury presents Dennis F. Reardon and Daniel C. Murphy.

BROPHY FROM BEACON HILL.

City Councillor Daniel W. Lane will represent the Back Bay and William F. Brophy, of Charles street, the Beacon Hill section.

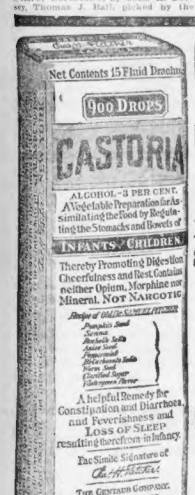
Dr. David D. Scannell and Andrew Marshall, both of whom have the Public School Association indorsement, have qualified, and so have William G. O'Hare, President Richard J. Lane of the school committee and Jacob L. Wiseman, for school committee nominations.

Hub's 1919 Marriage Record Beaten

Dan Cupid is still on the job.

Figures obtained at the office of Edward J. McGlenen, city registrar, show that Boston's marriage record for this year will beat that of 1919. During the first eleven months of the year 9,103 couples have taken the "fatal step" as compared with 8,588 for the same period a year ago.

Unemployment, the H. C. L., and lack of houses have had a tendency to keep down the number of applications, according to Registrar McGlenen. Following the Christmas marriages he looks for a decided slump in applications for licenses.



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CASEY ALWAYS 'ON THE JOB'

Head of Boston's Licensing Division Works Days, Nights and Sunday Censoring

SOME WHO HAVE SOUGHT MR. CASEY.

Carrie Nation, axe in hand.
Would-be light-rope performers seeking permit for wire from City Hall to Custom House tower.
Persons seeking permits for public dances.
Persons seeking permits for Sundays "shows."
Persons after licenses to open theatres.
Indignant "lady reformers" out to "clean up Boston."
Newspaper interviewers.

Once man was supposed to work from sun to sun, while woman's work was never done.

Now, man holds out for an eight-hour day; there are fewer and fewer women in the home,* and family servants have union hours, but there's still one person whose work is never done, and that is the motion picture censor.

You may go to City Hall and not find him at his desk, but that is because he has so many other places to work, sometimes all at once, that the desk has to wait its turn.

John M. Casey his name is, and his official rank is chief of the licensing division of the City of Boston. Other people in Mr. Casey's office—clerks, messengers, stenographers, have office hours. "Not so the censor. He goes to work in the morning, and when the others get through at the end of the afternoon, his day's work is just begun. As for Sunday, he hasn't had one to himself for twelve years.

How many little boys would think it a hardship to have to "cover" all the movies that come to town? How many would be glad to do it for nothing? Any little boy who knew of Mr. Casey's job would probably say to himself, "When I grow up I want to be a movie censor."

BUT IT'S DIFFERENT.

But if he had been going to "shows" as many years as Mr. Casey has, and in addition had to keep office hours, interview indignant women who want to "clean up" Boston, fend off cranks and fanatics of all kinds, issue licenses and permits for legitimate amusement enterprises, satisfy the public and be fair to producers—if he had to do all these things, he would learn that being the official censor was only a small part of the job, and a monotonous part at that.

Mr. Casey does not look like a formidable person. When the office of censor was first established it had a terrible sound. Now the only persons who find censorship "terrible" are those producers who do not want to obey the law. And Mr. Casey says there aren't any in Boston.

"The theatrical managers have shown a decided tendency to keep within the restrictions of the law and co-operate with the office," said he. "The city of Boston is extremely fortunate in having gentlemen of such high personal character and ability placed in the management of the theatres here. Without exception Mayor Peters, as well as previous executives, has received co-operation in matters regarding public amusements."

It sometimes happens, however, that well meaning "lady reformers" and others discover evil where other people see none; and they go to the Mayor's office to ask Mr. Casey to order the police to close a theatre. The only trouble with these good people is that they disagree so much that one seldom can tell what is good and what is impure, that they are not really the dolls to the censor's office that they appear to be.

VISITED BY CARRIE.

The redoubtable Carrie Nation, now lamented, was one of these visitors.

"She called at the mayor's office," said Mr. Casey, "and said, 'I am Carrie Nation, and I want to see the mayor.' In her hand was the famous hatchet with which she used to go about demolishing saloons. When she left her business she said, 'It's about cleaning up Boston.' She was introduced to me and explained, 'I have come here to clean this city of all its vice.' On learning that we had our own ways of doing this, and that she could not borrow the entire police force for her purpose, she hotfoot out the door saying, 'Well, I'm on my way alone.' We thought it best to trail her. She went down to a West End theatre, and when our agents got there she was on the stage, brandishing her hatchet and holding up the performance. She was placed under arrest, but later was released."

The Mayor's office is called upon to grant permits for many other projects than regular amusements.

"I was at my desk one morning," said Mr. Casey, "when two men came in the door, both rather the worse for wear. One said, 'Mister, we want a permit to attach a wire on the top of City Hall.' I asked, 'What do you want a wire on top of City Hall for?' He replied, 'For exhibition purposes.' I asked him where the other end of the wire was to be fastened and he said, 'On the Custom House tower.'

"I was rather disinclined to refuse him, for he kept his hands out of sight, and I did not know whether he had anything in them or not. His eyes shifted continuously. I asked him to describe his exhibition. He explained that he and his 'partner' intended to slide down the wire holding on by their teeth. He was told that it would be impossible to get the wire tight enough without pulling off either the roof of the City Hall or the tower of the Custom House, and that besides, they would strike many of the high buildings between these two.

"'Well,' he said then, 'give us a license to slide down to the harbor.' Again I asked him where he intended to fasten the other end of the wire, and was told, 'On a muddock.' He was instructed to go to the officials at the Custom House, get their consent and come back. He has not returned as yet."

BURLESQUE IMPROVES.

Mr. Casey make it a point to "cover" all the local burlesque entertainments on Monday and Tuesday of each week. Whether it is this supervision on his part, or a complete change of heart in the present generation of burlesque producers, at any rate the old-time odium attaching to that class of entertainment in the minds of some people is no longer deserved. According to Mr. Casey, the burlesque houses during the past two or three years have improved one hundred per cent.

"The entertainment furnished now in the average burlesque house is fit for any man or women to see," said he.

The question of State censorship of motion pictures which crops up from time to time has always been opposed by Mr. Casey. Last year a bill framed to establish such a censorship passed both houses of the Legislature, but was vetoed by the Governor.

Before his present position—which he has held for nearly seventeen years—Mr. Casey was connected with the theatrical profession, chiefly as an orchestral performer. He is a Boston man, a graduate of the public schools here and attended the dramatic class at Boston College, two members of which later became well known in the "perfect"—Frank Keenan and Daniel Gilfeather.

Mr. Casey toured the United States with a theatrical company for three years and then located in Boston, playing at the Howard Athenaeum, the Boston, Hollis Street, Globe and Park Theatres. At both the Globe and Park he was associated with John Stetson for ten years until the death of the latter, whom Mr. Casey considers "one of the greatest theatrical managers of all time."

Mr. Casey was later connected with the old Castle Square Theatre when its stock company included Lillian Lawrence, J. H. Gilmour, William Humphrey and afterwards Mr. and Mrs. John Craig.

Hub Movie Censor's Work Is Never Done

708 NEW MEMBERS IN CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Robert S. Weeks, chairman of the Chamber of Commerce membership committee, announced today that 708 members have been obtained in twenty days in the drive for new members. It was announced that the movement to get the 7,500 members will go into December if by tomorrow night the required number have not been obtained.

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$2 BILL, RAISED TO $5, PASSED IN LAWRENCE

Lawrence, Nov. 30.—Police inspectors are scouring the city for a band of individuals engaged in raising bills of small denomination to larger amounts. A bill of the $2 denomination, cleverly raised to a $5 bill, now in the hands of the police, is being traced.

"I want to congratulate you, Doctor, on the great success I hear you are having with your throat cases. I myself have attacks of inflamed throat every winter, can't seem to get rid of them. Wish you would take a look at mine and tell me what to do."

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HEARING IN FOREST HILLS 'L' EXTENSION TOMORROW

City Councillors who have once turned down the Boston Elevated's seeking of an easement on city land at Walk Hill street and Hyde Park avenue, for an extension of the Forest Hills elevated structure, will grant a public hearing at Minton Hall, Forest Hills, tomorrow night to sound out public sentiment on the project. The Council's objection to granting the easement was that it would lead to the tearing down of a number of houses in order to permit the extension of the L structure. The company wants to make the extension to improve service.

His Little Boy A *Mass* of Sores

So writes W. C. Warren of Millboro, Virginia, and he adds:

"We tried two good doctors, one a specialist on skin diseases and they did him no good. We used 7 bottles of D. D. D. and his face, which was simply a mass of sores, is now smooth as paper."

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RAILROAD RATES CASE DEC. 15

New England Hearing Before Commerce Commission on Through Rates

The Interstate Commerce Commission announces that it will give a hearing on December 15 on the application of the New England railroads for a revision of "joint through" rates.

This announcement follows the conference in the State House called to "save the railroads and industries from ruin," at which Judge George W. Anderson, a former member of the commission, declared that New England was facing economic decay unless prompt relief was afforded and fundamental changes made in railroad administration.

In his address he denounced the general administration of the roads and especially scored the railroad employes for demanding the same rates of wages irrespective of living conditions and work done. He called upon the unions to abandon the standardization system, which he termed "absurd."

"The rate division case, if won, is only a temporary palliative," he said, "of a situation fundamentally bad and of long standing. In my opinion, New England railroads as a whole have not earned the dividends paid on the common stocks for twenty-five years.

"Railroading is unbusinesslike, because the bookkeeping is the most elaborate and expensive and the worst used in any business in the world."

He urged an adequate and intelligent study of the New England situation. "I am not an advocate," he said, "of a general reduction in wages, but the present system is unjust.

"As a friend of labor, I suggest that the employes should co-operate to eliminate the gross discriminations which now exist between wage-earners."

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LINER SAN BLAS WILL STAY ON BOSTON ROUTE

The United Fruit Company officials denied the report that the liner San Blas would be withdrawn from the Boston service and sent to the Pacific in ballast. The vessel began discharging 37,000 stems of bananas in Long Wharf this morning and will load a full cargo here for Havana and Central American ports. She will also carry her full complement of passengers.

BOLSHEVIST FORCES TO OCCUPY TABRIZ

Washington, Nov. 30.—Military occupation of Tabriz, Persia, by Turkish or Bolshevist forces is indicated by dispatches reaching the State Department. Fifteen hundred Assyrian refugees at Tabriz, supported by American relief funds, will be taken immediately to Hamadan under direction of the American consul, the department was advised.

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SOCIETY HAPPENINGS

Miss Katharine L. Storey, a member of the Vincent Club and 1918 Sewing Circle. Miss Storey, who is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Richard C. Storey of No. 52 Fenway, was a prominent war relief worker.

Photo by White, Boston

By SARA ORCUTT.

Mrs. John W. Wendell and her little son have arrived at their home, No. 138 Marlboro street, after a two months' visit with Mrs. Wendell's mother, Mrs. Clement L. Despard, at her home on Buena Vista road, Rumson, New Jersey.

Miss Pauline Howard is settled at her home, No. 25 Chestnut street, after the Summer and Fall season at Little Boar's Head, N. H. Miss Howard's latest contribution to the literary field, "The W. Chuck Family," is the delight of all who have been introduced to the fascinating family.

The Authors' Club has begun its Friday afternoon teas at its rooms in Trinity Court. Miss Alice Brown is president of the club, succeeding Basil King.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Armstrong of New York are making a brief visit with Mrs. Armstrong's parents, Mr. and Mrs. William O. Taylor, at their home, No. 276 Beacon street.

A prominent engagement announced on Saturday is that of Miss Eunice Patricia Langsnaw, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Walter H. Langshaw, of the old New Bedford family, prominent in the philanthropic and social world, to Gardner Whitman Bullard, Harvard, '17, son of Mrs. M. A. Bullard, of No. 145 Goddard avenue, Brookline, and grandson of Mr. and Mrs. William Whitman. Mrs. Walter J. Badger Jr., of No. 3 Marlboro street, is a sister and Mrs. Franklin Hobbs of No. 123 Beacon street and Mrs. Arthur Little of No. 9 Massachusetts avenue are aunts of Mr. Bullard.

Three prominent events of the day were the luncheon which Mrs. Edward Hawes Talbot gave at her home, No. 175 Bay State road, for Miss Elizabeth Wells, debutante daughter of Wellington Wells; Miss Virginia Wainwright's second musical illustrated lecture on "Italian Music" at Copley Theatre ballroom and the bridge whist for which Mrs. Robert Farley Clark opened her house, No. 29-A Chestnut street, for the benefit of the Infants' Hospital.

SITE FOR K. OF C. WAR MEMORIAL IS PICKED

New York, Nov. 30.—A site for the proposed $5,000,000 memorial building offered by the Knights of Columbus to the American legion has been tentatively selected in Washington, it was announced at the headquarters of the Knights here. The site selected is government property on Pennsylvania avenue, near the Capitol.

The protest of the Private Soldiers' and Sailors' Legion against the gift of the Knights was answered today by William J. McGinley, supreme secretary. He said that if the Knights had raised the fund for hospital work they would have expended it in that fashion, but what hospital work the organization has undertaken is amply provided for by other funds.

HAVERHILL MAN TRIED SUICIDE, SAYS WIFE

Haverhill, Nov. 30.—Fred Reilly, aged thirty-eight, of Washington avenue, is at the Gale Hospital recovering from the effects of gas poisoning after what his wife declares to have been an attempt to take his life.

Reilly was found in the bedroom of his home by Mrs. Joseph Brody, No. 40 Washington avenue, who was called into the house by Reilly's only son after Mrs. Reilly had fainted from the effects of the gas which filled every room of the house.

WEST ROXBURY WOMAN NAMED AS CORESPONDENT

Hilda C. Thompson has brought suit for divorce in the Superior Court of Suffolk County against George W. Thompson of Wayland. Mrs. Thompson alleges that her husband has been unfaithful to her and names Augusta L. Betts of West Roxbury as corespondent. The Thompsons were married in 1909 and have a child, born in 1912, the custody of which and alimony is asked by Mrs. Thompson.

T. R. EMERSON SHOE COMPANY BANKRUPT

New York, Nov. 30.—The T. R. Emerson Shoe Company has filed a voluntary petition in bankruptcy with liabilities of $359,245 and assets of $254,390. The Hunt-Rankin-Lee Company of Boston is the largest single creditor, with a claim of $22,147.

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Hangs Himself in Cellar

New Bedford, Nov. 30.—William Crompton, aged thirty-seven, hanged himself in the cellar of his home, No. 3 Weaver street. He had been ill since April.

MARSHAL JAILED AFTER TAKING FURNITURE

New York, Nov. 30.—Michael J. Caynor, city marshal of Brooklyn must spend ten days in the Tombs and pay a $250 fine because of his zeal in enforcing a decree of judgment placed in his hands. He was convicted of oppression. He had seized the furniture of a Brooklyn woman, who had bought it from another not knowing that it was not fully paid for. The furniture company had obtained judgement and Caynor tried to enforce it.

BRITISH NAVAL RIVALRY WITH AMERICA OPPOSED

London, Nov. 30.—The Daily Express editorially opposes the campaign which is being conducted "to induce England to outbuild the American navy program. The Express declares that England should never spend a single shilling with this object in view.

"We never counted the United States as a possible enemy before the war," says the paper, "and it is more unlikely that she will be an enemy after our comradeship in arms."

DEMAND LONGER BEDS AND 9-FOOT SHEETS IN HOTELS

Manchester, N. H., Nov. 30.—Manchester Council, United Commercial Travelers, has appointed a committee of five to seek the co-operation of the councils in Nashua, Concord and Dover relative to framing and presenting to the State Legislature in January a bill to compel the use of longer beds and nine-foot sheets in hotels.

An effort will also be made by the commercial travelers to have a law enacted permitting the voting by mail.

DR. FRIEDMAN TO SERVE CITY WITHOUT SALARY

Dr. Bill Friedman of No. 288 Commonwealth avenue has consented to serve without pay as assistant physician for diseases of children at the Consumptives' Hospital, Mattapan, for a period of six months. If the work executed of Dr. Friedman proves as valuable as the trustees believe it will be, they will ask the City Council to make the position a permanent one with adequate salary. At present the budget provides no salary for it.

STERLING FOR NATIONAL IMMIGRATION BOARD

Washington, Nov. 30.—Establishment of a national immigration board, to deal with all problems relating to immigration will be provided in a bill Senator Sterling of South Dakota, a Republican member of the Senate Immigration Committee, will introduce when Congress reassembles Monday next, he announced.

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LODGE, HARDING AND TAFT JOIN ORDER OF PILGRIMS

Providence, Nov. 30.—The National Society of the Sons and Daughters of Pilgrims, meeting here, created the Order of Pilgrims, a new national organization, membership in which is limited to Pilgrim descendants of distinguished ancestry and political or patriotic service. Among the first fifty members elected are the following prominent persons: Former President William Howard Taft, President-Elect Warren G. Harding, United States Senators Henry Cabot Lodge and LeBaron Bradford Colt and Bishop James DeWolf Perry.

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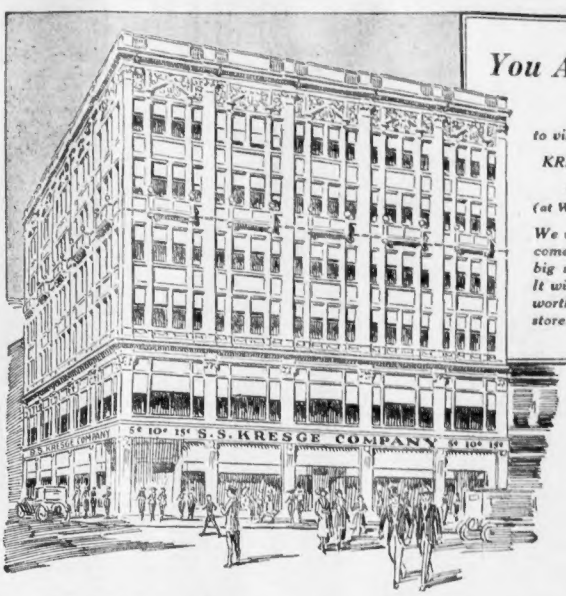

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MISS FULTON SCORES IN NEW ROLE

By FRED J. McISAAC.
Dramatic Editor.

Maud Fulton, star, appeared in a new play by Maude Fulton, authoress, at the Plymouth, last night. Oliver Morosco is the sponsor, and the title of the piece is "The Humming Bird."

Three seasons ago Miss Fulton's first play came to the Plymouth. It was called "The Brat." I didn't think much of it, but it ran for three years and made the little woman a lot of money. So I am going to be very careful how I criticize number two.

I suppose that when Miss Fulton writes a play she first invents a role for herself. Her adventures in that role make the play, and all the other characters simply feed to her. That's the way any actor or actress would write a play, but fortunately, most of them can't write.

In "The Humming Bird" Miss Fulton plays a little French girl who was a pretty hard character in the Apache district of Paris, but who has reformed and is working in a modiste's shop in New York when the story opens.

The French police are seeking a noted thief known as The Humming Bird, and Phillip Carey, a young reporter, is endeavoring to capture the Apache single handed. He meets Toinette and falls in love with her. It turns out that Toinette herself is The Humming Bird, but her behavior during the war has cleansed the sheet for her and the police want to plant a Croix de Guerre on her chest, nothing more.

The big scene of the play occurs in the second act when Charlot, an Apache, overtakes Toinette and they do an Apache dance together, with a climax which our heroine thrusts him into a closet and locks the door on him. Years ago Maude Fulton's reputation as a dancer was unexcelled, but curiously enough this dance is very flat. We have seen so many Apache dances.

Miss Fulton's accent, intonation and mannerisms were admirable; a tribute to her talent as an actress. The role, as she played it, was extremely interesting, particularly her transitions from the gentle and bird-like French midinette to the brazen Apache, and back again. The play however, ambles along in a guileless and naive manner. Most of the characters are just lay figures. There are flashes of humor in the dialogue, and plenty of laughs in Miss Fulton's lines, mostly on her Parisian effort to talk American slang, but no real gripping interest, and not near enough speed.

Harland Tucker did a pretty good job with the young reporter, and Lea Penman made a lot out of a bit as a model. Frank Sylvester, Lois Alberni and Grace Travers struggled hard with thankless parts.

PASSENGER TRAPS MAN'S HAND IN HIS POCKET

John Hayes, aged thirty-one, who gave his address as No. 25 Centre street, Wobburn, was arrested in Chelsea square by Patrolman Bradley, charged with the larceny of a pocketbook containing $47 from Lois Cunningham. The latter was riding on a car of the Chelsea-Lynn-Revere lines when he felt someone taking his pocketbook. He grabbed the man and, assisted by four passengers, had him until they reached Chelsea square, where the prisoner was turned over to the officer.

LAWRENCE VETERAN TO WED IN PARIS

Lawrence, Nov. 30.—Clifford Hall, formerly of South Lawrence, but now a Parisian, will be married in Paris, this week, to Miss Madeline Raze of Auguste, France, whom he met there while serving with the 54th Engineers overseas.

The groom will enter the contracting business with his wife's brother in Paris. He was formerly employed in a Lowell mill as a second hand.

GODDESS SABRINA SAFE AT AMHERST BANQUET

New London, Ct., Nov. 30.—Odd classes of Amherst College, number-ing 170 students, arrived here unescorted from Amherst on a special train over the Central Vermont Railroad. They marched to the Mohican Hotel, where they held a banquet and where the much-coveted Goddess Sabrina, echoed the call to arms as spies attempted to steal Sabrina, as has been the custom in past years.

Steinert Concerts

The concert course, so popular in smaller cities, at which great stars appear in a series of concerts for which season tickets are sold will be tried in Boston this season by Albert Steinert, whose series of six concerts at the Boston Opera House will bring some very attractive bills. These concerts will occur on Sunday afternoons, and will commence December 19 with Mary Garden. The other artists in the list are Jascha Heifetz, violinist; Margaret Matzenauer, the contralto of the Metropolitan, and Alfred Piccaver, a popular tenor; Frances Alda of the Metropolitan, soprano, and Charles Hackett, the Metropolitan tenor; Raisa, the Chicago Opera soprano, and Rimini, the baritone, also Virginia Rea, soprano of the Metropolitan, and Raoul Vidas, violinist. As all these artists are of the highest rank the series cannot fail to be brilliant.

"The Acquittal" .

One of the most remarkable plays now on tour is George M. Cohan's production of "The Acquittal," Rita Weiman's mystery drama, which will open a limited engagement at the Hollis Street Theatre Monday night. The play comes here after an all-season run at the Cohan & Harris Theatre, New York, with the original cast intact, headed by William Harrigan, Chrystal Herne and George Parsons.

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Italian Symphony

Next Sunday evening the first of a series of Sunday night concerts will be given by the Italian Symphony Orchestra of seventy-five pieces, under the capable direction of Professor Raffaele Martino, well known throughout the country in music circles. Mademoiselle Alice Raschi, famous European contralto, will be the soloist. Seats are now on sale at the box office at Symphony Hall.

Plays That Remain

COLONIAL THEATRE—"The Night Boat," at the Colonial, opened another week of remarkable prosperity last night.

WILBUR THEATRE—Sam Bernard and Irene Bordoni continue their successful season in "Are You There?"

SHUBERT THEATRE—"East is West," with Fay Bainter, is enjoying remarkable popularity at the Shubert.

PARK SQUARE THEATRE—Grant Mitchell is going merrily on in "The Champion," at Selwyn's Park Square Theatre, and from present indications will be there for some time to come.

GLOBE THEATRE — "Erminie," with its wealth of music and bright comedy, is now in its third week of popularity at the Globe Theatre, with its two famous stars, Francis Wilson and the Wolf Hopper, surrounded by a cast of superlative excellence.

COLONIAL THEATRE — Charles Dillingham's musical comedy production, "The Night Boat," began its third week at the Colonial Theatre last evening. Boston is repeating in heartiness of tribute the favor this attraction enjoyed through its long run in New York.

HOLLIS STREET THEATRE—William Collier, in "The Hottentot," will end on Saturday, at the Hollis, an engagement of five weeks, one of the most successful he has ever had in Boston.

TREMONT TEMPLE—The eleventh week of D. W. Griffith's wonder work of New England life in its elaborate picturization, "Way Down East," began yesterday afternoon with the usual capacity matinee at Tremont Temple, where the production is breaking all records for an entertainment in Boston.

BALFE OPERA GIVES MUCH PLEASURE

The Royal English Opera Company is scoring a hit at the Boston Opera House in "The Bohemian Girl." Balfe's masterpiece is almost as old as Bohemia itself, but it always affords a pleasant entertainment, especially at the hands of such experienced songsters as this company includes.

Edith Benmin, as Arline, who was old enough by the hand of gypsies, actually has the outstanding voice in the cast. She has a clear soprano, pleasing to the ear, and she manages to fill the spacious Opera House by clear enunciation. In certain numbers the chorus would do well to emulate her example in giving the audience the words to the music. Though on the whole the chorus evidences good training and there are not a few pretty voices among the lesser lights.

When tenors are considered, Ralph Brainard, as Thaddeus, the lover, must be reckoned with. What pathetically strikes the listener is his easy, free manner. The "first nights" registered their approval of him in numerous bursts of applause.

Then there is Mildred Rogers, queen of the gypsies, whose mellow voice pleases greatly. Paul Dufault, baritone, makes an acceptable Count Arnheim, and Walter Preston, as Devilshoof. Max Bendix shows skill in directing the orchestra.

The first three days of next week the "Gondoliers" will be given and the latter part of the week, "Pirates of Penzance."

NEW CROSBY PLAY A HIT AT SOMERVILLE THEATRE

"On the QT," which was presented by the Somerville Players yesterday for the first time on any stage, was accorded an enthusiastic reception. Edward Howard Crosby, one of New England's best known dramatic critics, is the author.

"On the QT" is an American comedy in a prologue and three acts, with romance as the dominant theme.

As his hero, Mr. Crosby has selected a most attractive young fellow who has been pursued for monetary reasons—and who is desirous of finding a wife—an will love him for himself alone.

Leaving behind his vast fortune and all its advantages he takes a fling at life, looking through the eyes of a boarding house maid, the victim of a scheming widow, who has formany years pursued him, and to win the affections of the daughter of the sport's most beautiful heiress, without the aid of his millions and social position, furnish much amusement.

As Dick Cabot, multi-millionaire, and a most attractive young fellow at that, Carrol Ashburn made a decided hit, getting full value from every line entrusted in his lap.

Anne Bronaugh, as Doris Cabot, daughter of a multi-millionaire, made the portrayal of the girl whose love is strong enough to over-ride social prejudice long suffering and devotion put forth their best efforts and gave splendid support to the other perspective roles, reflecting much credit on this new comedy.

Much credit is due Kendall Weston, the director of the organization, for the elaborate manner in which the production is staged. It is announced that a professional matinee will be given Friday, December 3rd.

MALDEN AUDITORIUM—One of the most enjoyable comedies ever presented at the Malden Auditorium by the Malden Stock Company is Lillian Trimble Bradley's "The Wonderful Thing," a play that was for over a year in New York, where it earned enthusiastic plaudits for its extreme merit. It deals with a girl who, by her own individual efforts, acquired everything she has sought in life, and yet she notices an absence of one real, vivifying influence that should give her complete happiness.

MODERN AND BEACON — Naximova, in Metro's latest production, "Heedless," is the feature at the Modern and Beacon Theatres this week. She has the part of the heiress Trioloff, widowed when her husband was assassinated in Russia. The pictorial background is Italy in the extreme.

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Zimbalist in Lynn

Efrain Zimbalist, the Russian violinist, will make his first appearance hereabouts this season when he plays at the Olympia Theatre next Sunday afternoon at 2:30. Zimbalist is the third artist to appear in the Lynn Star course.

'JUNE LOVE' IS FEATURED BY DANCES

"June Love," Rudolph Friml's pleasing concoction of music, pretty girls, comedy and wonderful dancing, opened last night at the Arlington Theatre and promises to fill all the wants of the inveterate musical comedy goer.

Every thing that a musical comedy should be is "June Love." Its music is tuneful and catchy; its stars and chorus exceptionally attractive and capable, while the dancing numbers are without doubt the best seen in Boston for a long time.

The terpsichorean numbers are, in fact, the stellar attraction, and the stars, Queenie Smith, formerly of the Metropolitan Opera company; Evelyn MacVey and Sacha Pitoeff and May Cary Kitchen, of Pavlowa's Ballet Russe, are ably assisted by a chorus of clever young women.

The vehicle of the piece, as is usual in similar musical comedies, was not too complicated to detract from the singing and dancing numbers. In fact it carries just about enough plot of an easily recognized theme to hold the piece together. As that appears to be all that is necessary in musical comedy, the audience seemed satisfied.

In a few words the story of the play is the old story of the heroine who wants to be loved for herself, irrespective of gaudy and seemingly unsurmountable barriers. Elsa Adler plays that role and captivates the audience by her winsomeness, just as she is supposed to entrance the man who "deigns to make love to his friend's wife."

Zoe Barnett in the role of a "vamp," is equally as successful with the male characters, and from the applause she received from some parts of the house was surprisingly pleased the men folks out front.

Some clever character dialogue is presented by Jessie Ralph and Charles Brown, as a Scotch maid and English valet, respectively, and it is sometimes what disappointing that the parts of these two laugh-provokers cannot be stretched just a little.

Other Theatres

MAJESTIC THEATRE—"Vogues and Vanities," the new Ray Goetz production, opened an engagement at the Majestic last night. The cast includes many well-known names, and a big audience was in attendance. The piece will be reviewed at length in the American on Wednesday.

TREMONT THEATRE—"The Sweetheart Shop," a new Edgar MacGregor musical comedy, which bears the stamp of New York success, began an engagement at the Tremont Theatre last night. It will be reviewed at length in Wednesday's American.

ORPHEUM THEATRE—Yesterday's offerings at Loew's Orpheum Theatre were headed by the Black and White Revue, a modern minstrel creation, featuring Alma Nielson. "The Girl on Her Toes," a pictorial novelty, created an amount of applause and murmurs of praise. Helene Davis, nicknamed by the boys overseas as "Smiles" Davis, gave proof of her popularity and ability in a whirlwind of song and dance selections.

UPHAM'S CORNER STRAND—Norma Talmadge plays the part of a runaway wife in her latest Select Artistical picture, which was shown at Gordon's Upham's Corner Strand Theatre early yesterday. She has features in the straightening out of a maze of domestic entanglements with the telephone is called into play. The version of this fascinating play by Oliver D. Bailey.

GORDON'S OLD SOUTH—Cecil B. De Mille's latest production, "Something to Think About," is different in theme from anything he has attempted in the past. He has expended his artistry and attention to detail upon an intensely human story of real folk. The result is a picture in every respect up to the usual De Mille standard. It opened at Gordon's Old South Theatre last evening.

GORDON'S OLYMPIA—James Oliver Curwood has more than repeated—in the squarest story he has achieved in "Back to God's Country," and has given the lovers of the north-country setting a powerful pictorial and human interest story it has ever had in the latest Associated First National feature, "Isobel of the North," which opened an engagement at Gordon's Olympia Theatre last evening.

SCOLLAY SQUARE OLYMPIA—A love story of surpassing sweetness and charm is the latest true to life angle combination between two women and a man, is the foundation of Benjamin B. Hampton's trip test production, "The U. P. Trail," featuring Roy Stewart, which began a week's run at Gordon's Scollay Square Theatre yesterday.

WALDRON'S CASINO—What is called the best burlesque show of the season, Jean Bedini is presenting in his latest sensational creation, "Twinkle Toes," at Waldron's Casino. Jean Bedini's fame as a producer has become a by-word in the theatrical homes, because of his "Peek-a-Boo." The comedians in "Twinkle Toes" are Dave Reed and Eddie Ascher, two of the cleverest and most versatile funmakers on the vaudeville stage.

GAYETY THEATRE—"Girls of the U. S. A." is the attraction at the Gayety this week. This is a snappy show full of jazz, pep and pretty girls. It pleased a big house last night.

COLUMBIA THEATRE — Yesterday's program was topped by two acts of clever vaudeville, and singing, dancing, comedy and music constituted a diversified entertainment.

CODMAN SQUARE THEATRE — Yesterday's program at the Codman Square Theatre, Dorchester, contained four acts of high class vaudeville, followed by the showing of Mary Pickford in her successful cinema production, "Silk Hosiery," in two Wives."

GORDON'S CENTRAL SQUARE — Constance Talmadge, in her latest First National Production, "Good References," was shown at Gordon's Cambridge Central Square Theatre last night. There are also five snappy acts of vaudeville.

PARK THEATRE — Robertson-Cole's latest comedy drama, "So Long Letty," filmed from the musical comedy success of the same name, is the feature at the Park Theatre, with Grace Darmond, Colleen Moore, T. Roy Barnes and Walter Hiers in the leading roles.

FITZY TO PLAY AGAINST HOLY CROSS

Holy Cross Stars Preparing to Meet B. C.

B. C. STAR BACK FOR BIG GAME

Coach Cavanaugh Polishing Off His Eleven for Big Battle on Saturday

Coach Cavanaugh is polishing off his Boston College eleven for the championship tussle with Holy Cross Saturday. Jim Fitzpatrick is resting up but the rest of the squad is very busy. Cap has a few mistakes to correct before his charges face the purple.

The attitude of the eleven is that of a bunch who realize they are up against a tough proposition and will need every moment of preparing they can get. All the men show grim determination to win if hard, scientific drive will do it. They will have to use everything they showed against Georgetown and then a little more in order to carry off the Catholic college championship of the East.

Whether Fitzy will start is an open question, but it is sure that he will be in there until he drops. This is his last gridiron battle. Bill Reidy, Foy and Frank Morrissey, all of whom may take a starting role, are ancient fos. Mullen broke one finger and dislocated another in the Tufts game and the injury has kept him out of the lineup since.

Signal practice was in order at the Heights, now christened the "Eagle's Nest," since the adoption of the eagle as the official mascot. Special emphasis was put on holding the ball at any cost. Alumni Field was in fair shape, and the punters took advantage of this fact to get in a good workout.

Swan, Corrigan and Roderick are each expected to get a chance to do some punting Saturday, while Fitz is not in, and the former pair are well able to hold their own against the average kicker. Leo Smith, the Purple's best booter, is a mighty fine performer, though.

The White Sox will very much in evidence these days, when early darkness is the rule.

NATE SIEGAL EASILY BEATS WALTER BUTLER

Nate Siegal of Revere, continues to be the welter weight champion of New England, but his honors are not as positive as they were that he can easily defeat Steve Donovan and other contenders.

Nate's showing against Walter Butler at the Carlin A. C. Friday was disappointing. The champion won by a five city block decision, but did not at any time evidence ability to seriously hurt the efforts of the foe. He outpointed Butler handily, but was inclined to be wild at times, but that was probably due to the fact that his foe was a tough customer.

Butler took the bout at short notice, and all things considered gave a very good account of himself. He scored frequently on the champion, though never with enough force to shake up the latter in the least. He never was in the slightest danger of getting put to sleep.

In the preliminaries, Young Manti stopped Vincent Morris in the fifth, Joe Welsh danged Midge Condon in the first and Charlie Elkins flattened Phil Bruno in the third chapter of a scheduled eight rounder.

HARVARD TENNIS MEN START INDOOR WORK

Fifteen candidates for the Harvard tennis team will make their initial preparation by practice on the covered courts at Longwood. The men are Captain Leon de Turenne, J. R. Fenno, D. Bacon, C. Romaine, W. Fahlbeman, M. Duane, G. C. Dulles, J. H. Morrs, J. D. Farnham, P. Holmes, J. Kelsey, R. Bacon, T. C. Richards, T. Pratt and L. D. Hill.

After mid-year regular practice will be held, and the men will take part in five matches a week. Two matches will be scheduled on the trip test matches will be scheduled and a team picked accordingly.

R. Norris Williams, former national singles champion, is to assist in coaching the team during the indoor period of practice. The Harvard Athletic Association recently voted against hiring a regular coach for the team.

DUNDEE AND JACKSON BOX 15-ROUND DRAW

New York, Nov. 30.—Johnny Dundee and Willie Jackson, New York lightweights, fought fifteen rounds to a draw here. The judges disagreed and the referee made the decision.

Jackson, who weighed 132 pounds, four more than Dundee, forced the fighting for the greater part of the contest and administered much punishment.

Lieutenant Earl Baird of Seattle, an aviator in the United States army, received the degree of honor over John Lisse of New York after a ten-round bout.

GERHARDT TO WRESTLE AT THURSDAY SHOW

Frank Gerhardt, the clever Bohemian wrestler, will appear Thursday night at the Grand Opera House, with an opponent to be selected. Gerhardt will soon be ready for everybody on his affair, and a match against Lattenen the other night showed his remarkable speed and cleverness.

This number will precede the Gardner-Ajax match, which was a positive finish under full championship rules.

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Texas for Cards

St. Louis, Nov. 30.—The St. Louis Nationals will train at Orange, Texas, it was announced today. Pre-season games will be arranged with the Philadelphia Americans, who will train at Lake Charles, La.

Photos by Arthur S. Adams, Worcester. . . .

These sturdy athletes are having two practice sessions a day, getting ready for Saturday's big game at Braves Field. They are, top row, left to right, Shea, Gagnon, the team's outstanding star, and Conway; below, Healy, Golembeskie and McGrath.

NIGHT MEETINGS AT HOLY CROSS

Worcester Eleven to Work Overtime Preparing for Big Clash With Boston

Worcester, Nov. 30.—The Holy Cross football squad will practice every afternoon and evening this week, according to Cleo O'Donnell. Asked if the night sessions would consist of "skull practice," Cleo remarked, "Maybe a little more, too."

This night practice is a new one for the gridiron men at H. C., but they're hoping that it will result in putting the final polish on the team for their game of games Saturday with Boston College.

Coach O'Donnell saw the Boston College-Georgetown game Saturday. And here's what he has to say: "Boston College has a good team, a very good team. But Georgetown is nothing like Holy Cross. The Southerners made many mistakes, let Boston College get away with a lot of flashy stuff that I don't think they'll get away with against our bunch. They showed nothing like the spirit and aggressiveness that H. C. showed."

Worcester fans expect to see Jim Fitzpatrick in the Boston lineup Saturday, and say that the B. C. star will have to do some shining if his brilliance is to dim the stuff of Chick Gagnon, Purple halfback. Only one team has been able to cross the Purple goal line for a touchdown this season.

That team was Dartmouth. Harvard, Syracuse, Springfield and Brest couldn't do the trick, because Holy Cross has a wonderful defensive team.

JOE GIBBS KAYOS KID STONE IN 5TH

Fall River, Nov. 30.—Woonsocket Joe Gibbs knocked out Kid Stone of New York in the fifth round of the main bout at the Academy A. A. here. Frankie Young Chaney of Beechmont was awarded the decision over Kid Stone in the fourth frame of the ten-round semi-final when Johnny McGrail of Brockton quit.

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STECKER AND LEWIS TO MEET ON MAT

New York, Nov. 30.—Joe Stecker, heavyweight champion wrestler, will defend his title against Ed (Strangler") Lewis in a bout at the 71st Regiment Armory December 13. Arrangements for the match were completed by Promoter Jack Curley.

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ALL-AMERICANS TO PLAY THORPE'S STARS

New York, Nov. 30.—Jim Thorpe's Canton bulldogs and the All-Americans from Buffalo, N. Y., two of the country's strongest professional football teams, will meet here Saturday at the Polo Grounds it was announced today.

TAD'S TIDBITS

Never before has the lightweight division been picked clean as it is at present. Benny Leonard has dry-picked the division once ruled by Jack McAuliffe and that there not even a pin feather of opposition left.

Some opponents he knocked for trips, with others he did the Dan O'Leary, and still others he frightened almost back to the featherweight class.

Joe Welling was the last of the top-notch lightweights to cross bats with Leonard, and after a wonderful exhibition was led from the ring tagged "broken in transit."

Leonard is not the greatest lightweight boxer that ever lived. He is a great fighter in times of near stars.

He would have been a great lightweight at any time.

Whether he would shine in the company of Gans, McFadden, Erne, McAuliffe, Hawkins, Lavigne, Nelson, Griffo and Dobbs is a question.

He has nearly everything a good fighter needs, and uses what he has like a general.

His punch is heavy, but we can't say that it is deadly. He seldom stops his man with one blow, as did Gans, Erne, McAuliffe and Hawkins, yet he is known as a knockerout.

It may be that Leonard, with his dancing tactics, loses the power of his punch.

He is not the gliding, easy-going boxer of the Gans school. Instead, he is of the dancing Terry type. He is in and out, here and there, up and down, feinting with his head.

In this he resembles Jim Corbett, Jack O'Brien, Johnny Kilbane and Packy McFarland.

They were all of the hit-and-get-away variety.

They baffled their opponents with tricks and speed.

They pecked away with lefts, danced around, pecked again and suddenly shot a right from nowhere. That is Leonard.

In his fight with Welling he showed everything he had. He also showed that he was the stronger of the two in the clinches. Welling swung around Leonard like a twig around a post in the clinches. Leonard seemed a middleweight in strength.

Whether Leonard can go twenty or twenty-five rounds with a fellow of Welling's makeup, however, is another question.

He dropped Welling three times in the thirteenth round, but couldn't knock him out, and in the fourteenth, after knocking Joe down again, seemed arm-weary and breathless.

Welling thinks that he could have gone the distance. He says that if the referee wanted to stop the bout he should have done so in the thirteenth.

"I scared was so tired in the fourteenth," said Welling after the go, "that he couldn't keep his hands up, let alone knock me out."

Using Irish Names Again

We hear that Jeff Duffy, who was touted as the coming middleweight champ, is none other than Young Rudolph, who was doing his bit and let 'em fall act out West.

Father Was Right

Walter Fields has it all doped out:

"There are no fighters like the old-timers," said father. The old-timers are gone—so is father.

Canada Col's Cheerful Chirps
THE MERRY MINSTRELS

Interlocutor—Bones, were you ever at sea in a storm?

Bones—No, sh. Were you?

Interlocutor—Yes, I was at sea once when the wind was blowing about one hundred miles an hour. What do you think of that?

Bones—Ah think one hundred miles an hour-am sumfin' fo' de win' to blow about. Mistah Johnson, can yo' tell me de difference between a man sittin' on de ribber bank wif a fish pole an' a novelist whose book has been roasted by de critics?

Interlocutor—No what is the difference?

Bones—De one has his hook baited, an' de other has his book hated.

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Perhaps Wrangel will be accused of "throwing" the Russian series to the Reds.

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"How to Have Beautiful Hands," said the advertisement. And the girl who sent a dollar to find out how got a printed slip that said, "Deal them yourself from the bottom of the deck when it comes your turn."

GOLFERS DON'T KNOW RULES

Brushing Up on Technical Points Necessary, Even for Leaders in Popular Sport

By ROBERT E. HARLOW

Alex Campbell, witty Scotch professional, also, exceedingly outspoken, says that the most important rule of golf is to "count the strokes in sequence" and that the next point of etiquette is to "replace the turf." These are golden rules of golf.

No golfer can dig deeper divots in himself than one who neglects sequence in adding strokes, and replacing turf is a kindly act to all others. Ninety-nine out of a hundred players observe these fundamentals. The other one per cent are a sad and unhappy lot.

As the season is approaching when golf playing in the north will be reduced to a minimum, those interested in the game would do well to read over the rules for it is surprising, but true, that in the Summer when points of law arise, but few are capable of speaking with real authority without consulting the rule book.

Even officials of the United States Golf Association are often caught on a difficult point when umpiring championship matches.

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British golfers will have their amateur championship next year at the Royal Liverpool Club, Hoylake, Cheshire, starting May 23. The open will follow, probably in the second week in June, at Deal, Kent. Nothing definite has been announced concerning American players, but it will be at Hoylake, but at least a team of American professionals will take part in the championship at St. Andrews.

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John Smith, head of the golf department of the Phillips Academy, says that this was New England's biggest golf year. He bases his conclusion upon the number of golf balls sold, which far exceeded any previous year. Mr. Smith reports that but few New England professionals will be in the South this year. The news is not unexpected as few in this section are capable of winning the money prizes and unless a professional has a Winter club, from the figure in the money in the open events, he finds little nourishment in Florida.

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Harry Bowler and Donald Vinton have mailed attractive cards to golfers concerning their golf school at No. 16 Hawley street. These partners will conduct an indoor and outdoor golf club, which will entitle members to the use of a practice net and covered driving range. Bowler is giving lessons. Bowler and Vinton will sell golf supplies and repair clubs.

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A number of enthusiastic indoor golfers, who are fond of putting, will miss the indoor green which attracted no many at the Boston Golf Shop, on Devonshire street last Winter. This place is closed so it will be impossible to enjoy the daily and afternoon putting contests which draw large fields. Some of the boys will have to get their luncheon money in some other manner. Too bad.

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Walter Johnson is open for business at his shop in Boylston street. He is kept busy every morning since the first of December until the Spring outdoor season opens.

HAVERHILL STILL SEEKING GAME

Haverhill, Nov. 30. — Now that games with Englewood, Chicago and East Tech, Cleveland, scheme are off. Coach H. William Broderick of Haverhill High eleven challenged Oak Park, champions in the Chicago suburban league, to a contest in the Illinois city Saturday. A telegram also sent telegrams to Lansing, Mich., Northern High of Detroit, and to Gainsville, Florida, high school football teams, all the best in their respective localities.

Gainsville, reckoned the leading Southern high school, challenged Peewee Allen, who has announced the Mayville team has another rival. Allen has announced he will take a sweeping bet to meet any Middle Western or Southern football high school team of championship caliber, providing it is a legitimate high school team and that the latter pay and get a trip. Out of the large number of challenges sent forth it is hoped that one rival will accept.

BASKET BALL SQUAD LARGE AT ANDOVER

Andover, Nov. 30.—L. V. Roth, coach of the Phillips Academy basketball team, has called out the candidates and sixty-five reported. This number will be cut to twenty this week.

The schedule arranged is as follows: January 13, Dartmouth freshmen; 15, Tufts freshmen; 20, N. H. State freshmen; February 5, Worcester Academy; 12, Harvard freshmen; 19, Princeton freshmen; 24, Worcester Academy; March 5, Dartmouth freshmen; Cambridge Latin School; Dean Academy; 12, Yale freshmen; 19, Exeter at Exeter.

INDIA ENTRANT IN DAVIS CUP TENNIS

Delhi, India, Nov. 30.—The committee of the All-India lawn Tennis Association has decided to enter a team to play for the Davis cup in 1921. This will be the first time that India has formed a team to compete for the lawn tennis classic.

SYRACUSE TO PLAY HARVARD LACROSSE

Syracuse, N. Y., Nov. 30.—Syracuse University will play Harvard at lacrosse on May 13 and Yale a week later, according to the schedule of fifteen games just announced. Cornell is also given a place on the schedule, as are Penn State, Pennsylvania, Penn State and the Navy.

EVERS PREPARES TO STRENGTHEN HIS CLUB

Chicago, Nov. 30.—Johnny Evers, newly appointed manager of the Chicago Nationals, assumed active command of the club today. He will remain here several days to discuss pending deals to strengthen the club.

FANS BACK EVERS TO MAKE GOOD AS MANAGER WITH CUBS

Outdoor Sports — By TAD — That'll Get 'Em

GREATEST COMEBACK IN GAME

Peppery Veteran Has Had Rough Road During His 15 Years on Diamond

By JAMES J. CORBETT

Johnny Evers assumes the management of the Chicago Cubs, with fandom wishing him all the luck in the world. Few men ever identified with baseball are more popular than the peppery veteran who got his big league start back in 1902. From that time on, for nearly fifteen years, Evers was one of the playing stars of the baseball firmament.

There was general regret in baseball circles when Evers passed out of the "Hall Time" a few seasons ago. It was felt by many that he might never come back—that his passing meant an irreparable loss to the game. For Evers put color to baseball and Evers's execution with the game he used to glorify it.

Many things have made Evers popular, one of the contributing factors is that he has been supreme in every fight with odds with Hard Luck. He certainly has had more than his share of it.

Twice during his career his savings have been swept away through unfortunate investments. But Evers never was period never discouraged—just continued the smile. He was sick for a long time, injured in an automobile accident, and I memory serves me right some members of his immediate family were killed in such an accident.

But no one has ever heard Johnny Evers complain or one ever saw him wave the white flag of defeat. No one ever found him other than cheerful and optimistic.

Evers Big Factor in Winning for Braves

Evers had an earlier chance as pilot of the Cubs. But it was in a year when baseball was in a bad way. And it was in a season when the material which he had to work with foredoomed Evers to defeat.

It's true, finished third that year 1913—but it was a fourth-rate club that. But it suited Charles Murphy, Cub owner, one bit, and Evers was superseded as leader by Hank O'Day and soon afterward was traded to the Braves.

It was the brilliant work of Trojan Johnny in the Braves of 1914 [illegible] which pennant—which he led the Braves to immediately in achieving a pennant and then annexing a world's championship in four straight.

Team of Veterans for the New Leader

Evers takes the Cub team in 1921 with many difficulties confronting him. He team he failed to win in a month of Sundays.

Beyond Charlie Hollocher there is not a player of youthful promise in Grover Alexander, Mike Prendergast and Les Mann. So in [illegible] Pennock, Huggins, Bill Killefer [illegible] of the baseball department is fading [illegible].

Maybe Evers will try to go along with the present Cub team. The chances are that he won't. For it was that method [illegible] And that will mark the first test Evers ever had to [illegible] before the season really is under way.

But those who know Evers most [illegible] his work as field [illegible] of the Cubs [illegible] pennant [illegible] Evers's work as field [illegible] established himself [illegible] Babe as he does as a field [illegible]

SPORT EDITORIAL

The Effect of Prohibition

Never before in the history of any country has there been such widespread interest in sport as in America at the present time.

Baseball had its biggest year in 1920. Football has drawn record-breaking crowds. Boxing jams the arenas. Tennis tournaments pack 'em in. Every form of sport shares in the unexpected and surprising popularity and interest.

The reason?

Close students of the situation have reached the conclusion that it is prohibition, or rather the abolition of the open saloon.

Men have more money to spend on amusements and more time to devote to engaging in sport. The hours they used to waste in the barrooms now goes to the golf links and to the gymnasiums.

When prohibition first came in owners of billiard rooms were inclined to take a very gloomy view of matters. They thought it would ruin this sport.

Today it is doubtful if you could find a single owner of the now crowded rooms who would want to see the return of the old conditions. They say their business is better and cleaner. The time some of their customers used to spend leaning against the bar now goes into active playing.

So it is all along the line. Professional sport, which was once distinctly associated with the saloons to its one great detriment, finds that it is on a new footing entirely.

Amateur sport had to contend to some extent with King Barleycorn, and it shows a healthier aspect since the old convivial gatherings on the eve of big football games and other events have been dispensed with.

Figures do not lie, and figures show that sport ought to be mighty thankful to prohibition.

D. R.

BUGS BAER'S COLUMN

THE best that can be chirped about the football season is that it is nearly over. The boys will have to find new ways of breaking their legs. It's an awful thing when an old man sends his boy to coll-ge to come home with a diploma and he comes home with four doctors instead.

A GRAY-HAIRED MOTHER knows[illegible] [illegible] January. He's got a fo[illegible] [illegible] Right [illegible] meeting [illegible] Long [illegible] [illegible] of eleven cr[illegible] [illegible] weeks his [illegible] [illegible] menu of adv[illegible] [illegible]

IN between verbal passages of the old oil he plays for [illegible] eleven. Breaks bull [illegible] the knee [illegible] gets three rah-rah cheers from the rooting sections.

BUT it's all in fun. He's satisfied to spend the rest of his life buying crutches instead of garters if some authentic [illegible] [illegible] for the Ad Lib [illegible] football team. An [illegible] [illegible] something like a [illegible] League in that [illegible] [illegible] thing and couldn't if it wanted to.

THE experts [illegible] their heads [illegible] down to the [illegible] figuring out [illegible] America [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

Largest Evening Circulation In New England

The Ancient Game of Hop-Scotch

ALL mere men's games must give pride of place as regards antiquity to those played by children. Hop-scotch, for instance, is at least 2,000 years old. Some of the singing games are of Norse origin, while tipcat was played 4,000 years ago.

Magazine Page

This Day in Our History—November 30, 1920.

THIS is the anniversary of the birth, in 1835, of Mark Twain, foremost American humorist, and the author of the classic "Huckleberry Finn" and other inimitable stories. He was universally beloved. He died in 1910.

A DAUGHTER OF TWO WORLDS

A Thrilling Story of New York Life

By LEROY SCOTT

A Romance of Vivid Personalities and Swift and Exciting Adventure

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What the Story Is About

How Jenny, the daughter of Black Jerry Malone, the keeper of a low dance hall in New York, was rescued in the very nick of time from her environment and introduced to exclusive New York society through the influence of a former crook is the thrilling basis of this new story, by the author of "Mary Regan." The novel tells mainly of her adventures in the second of the two worlds through which her amazing career takes her, where reminders of her past appear, and the result is many thrilling and dramatic episodes.

Jennie Considers a Problem

THE [illegible] Mrs. Hardeen said privately to Eve: "We [illegible] unaffected [illegible] Eve—so refreshing, so unconventional, so unsophisticated!" And to Jennie she kissed her warmly: "I do hope you'll come home with Eve again—come soon, and often!"

Jennie went back to school exulting. She was indeed succeeding—and this was only the beginning of things. That confirmation of purpose he believed had lifted his father as she thought over the scene during the days and weeks which followed. Gloria's thoroughly parasited inamorata, [illegible] the distant encounter in the [illegible] Gloria [illegible] had been decisively careful in her attitude toward dining with [illegible] her last day, her soul raised aloft by the double dignity of graduation [illegible] in which Jennie changed to be.

"Well, Mister," she drawled haughtily with insult behind her flippant manner "soon at least I'll never see Jennie, so I guess I'll be a permanent good-bye. However, I'll try to bear up."

Gloria Flamed

Jennie seemed to be unconscious of the insult "good-bye," she said simply: "To me it will always be a source of pleasure to have known you."

The spirit of Jennie's answer was not what Gloria had expected; it threw her off her guard. "Why?" she asked.

"Because, Gloria dear," Jennie replied, "knowing you have made it possible, every morning when I wake up I start off the day happily by just remembering how much worse everything might be [illegible] appear at the office.

"[illegible] I said, [illegible] Raymond prepared for her final [illegible] seemed to acquire from the fast [illegible] [illegible] [illegible]

THE THIMBLE THEATRE

Now Showing—"The Cave Man and the Salad."

THEN THE FUN BEGAN

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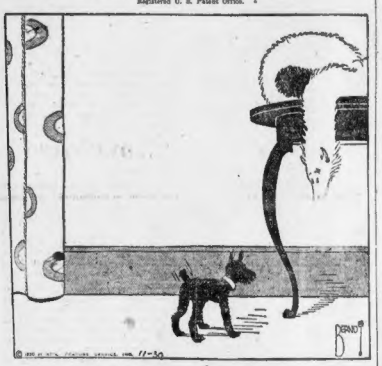

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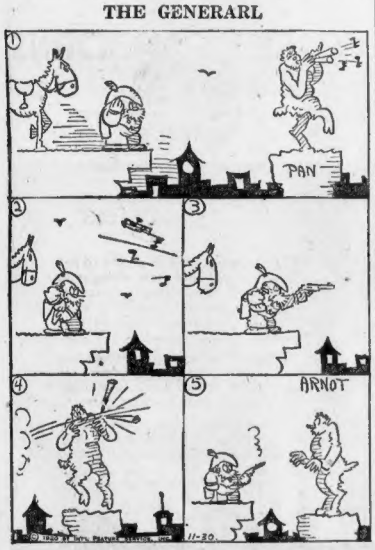

Kabibble Kabaret

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DEAR MR KABIBBLE,
WHO HAS THE BEST CHANCES OF GETTING MARRIED FIRST— A PRETTY GIRL OR A RICH GIRL?

FIFTY-FIFTY—THERE'S A LOT OF RICH FELLOWS GETTING MARRIED TOO!

BRINGING UP FATHER

A MOVING PICTURE COMEDY, NOT AN ANIMATED CARTOON

ALL LEADING THEATRES

POLLY AND HER PALS

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Keep Right On Going, Boy

JERRY ON THE JOB

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Jerry Has Done All He Could

ABIE THE AGENT

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They Usually Go Together

HON AND DEARIE

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Ha! The Plot Thickens!!

KRAZY KAT

By George Herriman

Here Are Five of New England's "Loveliest Girls," Two of Them Sisters

MURNA LIONA BEVERLY, Adams

AUDREY BOLTON, Dorchester

HELENE C. CHENEY, Meriden, Ct.

SHIRLEY BOLTON, Dorchester

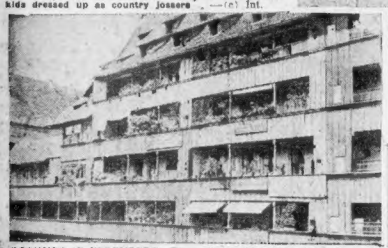
EVELYN LEWIS, Salem

THE BOSTON AMERICAN offers $5,000 in gold for photographs of lovely girls. To the girl declared by the judges to be the loveliest girl in New England, the American will pay $2,000 in gold. To the next girl in merit, $1,000 in gold. There will be two third prizes of $500 each. In awarding the prizes the judges will have in mind Arthur Brisbane's definition of beauty. Mr. Brisbane says beauty is "intelligence in a fine setting." The judges will study the photographs, first for intelligence, second for health, and third for physical beauty. There are no strings attached. Just send in the photograph of your wife, sweetheart, sister or friend. All photographs will be given careful treatment and will be returned when the contest is over. Address all mail to "Loveliest Girl Editor," Boston American, P. O. Box 239, Boston 0, Mass.

ODDS BODKINS!—These three queer personages appeared on the Strand in fi'l ot' Lunnon recently and caused much excitement. "Strike me pink, what's this?" expostulated a "bobbie." They were only three kids dressed up as country jossers —(c) Int.

FLATS IN FIJI — For rent — 20-family apartment. Light, airy rooms. Each with front window and plenty of sunshine. Cold in Winter and hot in Summer. No pianos, no phonographs, also no rent raising landlords. —(c) Keystone.

IN OLD MEXICO—One would scarcely believe that Mexico is a neighbor of the progressive United States so quaint are some of the customs in that country. Here are Mexican women who sell shoes from house to house. —(c) Underwood & Underwood.



HOUSING IN NUREMBURG—These quaint old houses along the river bank, with their indented balconies, make a striking picture. In the Summer the balconies are used as dining and living room. Just shake the table cloth over the railing into the river. The enterprising ones have also placed their business signs so that people in boats can tell where to buy the best wares. —(c) Central.

PROPHETS AND PROFITEERS—When a prophet goes through Egypt he lives in a luxurious tent. When a profiteer goes thorugh America he rides in a Pullman. —(c) International.

HIGHER EDUCATION—While they do not appear to need any of the same from America, Misses Agnes and Thora Olsen arrived from Holland the other day and will enter the University of Chicago. —(c) International.

FOR THAT CHRISTMAS DINNER—Little Miss Frances MacDonald is one of the many entertainers who will appear in the near future to raise money for the Boston American's Christmas Basket Fund. She is as clever as she looks Photo by Chambers.

ACROBATIC TURTLES—A London shopkeeper made a window display out of eleven turtles and eleven spools that attracted great crowds. The turtles did not seem to enjoy their part of the performance at first but, being unable to help themselves, had to keep their places. They vent their spite on the visitors by giving them hard stares from their shells. —(c) Int.

AT BOSTON UNIVERSITY—Miss June Arnold of Braintree is a member of the freshman class social committee in charge of the acquaintance party slated for Friday night at the College of Liberal Arts. Purdy Photo.

LATEST ROAD FLEA—This one comes from Switzerland. A sort of a young motor-cycle which are common sights in the land where exkings and American millionaires are wont to sojourn. The cars cost but little and weigh only 32 pounds. They can be kept in one's room at the hotel and yet are capable of traveling at a speed of forty kilometers an hour. —(c) International.

LEONARA FORGETS — Leonara Hughes, former dancing partner of M. Maurice of Paris, arrived in this country the other day and forgot to declare $100,000 worth of jewels. Says she forgot them. Poor girl. —(c) U. & U.

ANOTHER CHRISTMAS IN KHAKI—Convalescent soldiers at St. Elizabeth's Hospital in Washington, D. C., are busy making toys. A director of the Knights of Columbus is teaching the art to the boys in khaki. It helps them to forget their troubles and also solves the problem of what to do about getting something for the kiddies at home. The photo shows a veteran at work in the hospital "toy factory." —(c) International

RETIRES AFTER 45 YEARS

Chief Court Officer Abbott Is Honored; P. F. Hanley His Successor

Ambrose H. Abbott, chief Municipal Court officer at Pemberton square, retired on a pension today after completing forty-five years of faithful service. He was born in Bucksport, Me., October 30, 1850, and came to Boston in June, 1870, to work for Smith & Jacobs, stair builders, on Wareham street. From 1872 to 1876 he served on the Boston Fire Department as a member of Hook and Ladder Company No. 3, on Harrison avenue, under Captain Jennings.

In May, 1875, he received appointment to the police department and served under Captain Simard of Station 6. Soon afterward he was detailed to duty with the first traffic squad. Known as the Mounted Police Squad, Abbott is credited with having made many important arrests during his fourteen years as police officer. Brother officers tendered him a reception when he was appointed court officer April 16, 1890.

Chief Justice Bolster and the associate judges presented him with a certificate of honor bearing their signatures, while court officers contributed a piece of gold.

Peter F. Hanley has been appointed successor to Mr. Abbott. He was formerly a sergeant in the police department, having been made a court officer after many years of excellent service. He is a member of the Knights of Columbus in Dorchester.

John N. Chaisson, Dix avenue, Dorchester, for many years a special officer attached to the Hanover street station, resigned from the police department and will become a court officer today. He joined the force in October, 1891, and served with Superintendent Michael H. Crowley when he was a lieutenant at Station 1.

ALLEGED OFFERERS OF POLICE BRIBE IN COURT

Lawrence, Nov. 30—Michael Burns and Laurence Fay of New York were arraigned in District Court here before Judge Mahoney charged with attempting to bribe police officers who arrested them for illegally transporting liquor. A similar complaint of trying to "fix" with the police while liquor was being seized at his home was heard against Louis Miller of this city. About 600 quarts of real whiskey figured in the case of the New York men. On motion of the court the police returned to two of the men high priced autos which were seized with the liquor.

$300,000 WAR EXHIBIT GIFT TO THE FRENCH

The United States will present France with a $300,000 exhibit of arms and apparatus used by the U. S. F. in the World War. Organizations to participate include the Red Cross, the Knights of Columbus, Y. M. C. A., Y. W. C. A., the Salvation Army, War Camp Community Service, Jewish Welfare Board, American Legion and D. A. R. Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt has donated her favorite picture of the French president. The K. of C. will send a picture of Lieutenant William Fitzsimmons, the first American soldier killed in the war. The exhibit will be on display in a New York hotel before it is sent overseas.

SEEK TO STAY SENTENCE OF WOOD ALCOHOL THIEF

New York, Nov. 29.—Applying to the Supreme Court for a certificate of reasonable doubt, attorneys for John Rosenthal, Wood alcohol thief, taker, sought to stay execution of his sentence of three and one-half years to seven years for grand larceny in connection with the alcohol, which caused the deaths of over 100 persons last Christmas in Massachusetts and Connecticut. The attorneys charge that the testimony of one of the material witnesses at the trial was uncorroborated.

HARVARD YARD AUTO TRAFFIC IS STUDIED

Automobile traffic in the Harvard yard at Cambridge has increased to such an extent that the college has closed all drives with the exception of that at the Johnston gate and is studying plans to regulate the traffic for the future. Thus an accurate record for the future will be made of the cars entering the yard, how long they remain inside, to whom they belong and for what purpose used.

K. OF C. TO WAR ON SUNDAY "BLUE LAWS"

Knights of Columbus lecturers will carry on a propaganda against rigid Sunday "blue laws" this Winter, Supreme Knight James A. Flaherty of New York declared he had ordered this done. He said the K. of C. stood against all extremism, radical or conservative, and against anything calculated to stir up discontent and anger among the mass of the people.

NEWPORT RAID YIELDS PLENTY OF 'MOONSHINE'

Newport, R. I., Nov. 30.—Federal prohibition agents, aided by local police, raided an alleged distributing depot for "moonshine" liquor and found many gallons of the stuff, as well as a number of bottles. No effort is being made by the Federal officials to halt the practice of home brewing, which is said to be common here.

WOMAN TAKEN ILL AFTER DRINKING DISINFECTANT

Mrs. Sigrid Ardolino, aged thirty-two, of No. 38 Cottage street, East Boston, was taken to the City Hospital Relief Station suffering from poisoning as the result of drinking a disinfectant. She will recover. It was stated by relatives that she drank the potion accidentally.

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Hunt Made P. O. Inspector

J. William Hunt, assistant to W. H. Hurley, assistant postmaster and superintendent of finance in the Boston postoffice, and one of the most popular men connected with the Postoffice Department in this city, has received notice from Washington of his appointment as a postoffice inspector.

The Inside of the Cup

Follow This Serial Here Then Watch for It in Motion Pictures Directed by Albert Capellani

"The Inside of the Cup," published serially here by permission of the MacMillan Co., has been made into a motion picture by Cosmopolitan Productions and will be released as a Paramount Artcraft picture.

By Winston Churchill

Author of "Richard Carvel," "The Crisis" and Many Other Novels of World-Wide Popularity

CHAPTER XIV.—Continued.

He pointed to the boxing gloves on the grass. "Mr. Hodder has taught them to settle their differences in that way; it is much more sensible."

She picked off the white clover-tops.

"So that is Mr. Hodder, of St. John's," she said.

"Ah, you know him, then?"

"I've met him," she said quietly. "Are these children connected with his church?"

"They are little waifs from Dalton street and that vicinity," said Mr. Bentley. "Very few of them, I should imagine, have ever been inside of a church."

She seemed surprised.

"But—isn't it his habit to bring them out here?" The old gentleman beamed on her, perhaps with the ghost of a smile of curiosity.

"He has found time for it, this Summer. It is very good of him."

She reddened from embarrassment at this remark, falling into reflection, leaning back, with one hand outstretched, on the grass. The game went on, a wrestling match, a thrill little voices piercing the silence of the Summer afternoon. Mr. Bentley's eyes continued to rest on her.

"Tell me," he inquired, after a while, "are you not Alison Parr?" She glanced up at him, startled. "Yes."

"I thought so, although I have not seen you since you were a little girl. I knew your mother very well indeed, but it is too much to expect you to remember me, after all this time. No doubt you have forgotten my name. I am Mr. Bentley."

"Mr. Bentley!" she cried, sitting upright and gazing at him. "How stupid of me not to have known you! You couldn't have been any one else."

It was the old gentleman's turn to start. She rose impulsively and sat down on the bench beside him, and his hand trembled as he laid it in hers.

"Yes, my dear, I am still alive. But surely you cannot remember me, Alison?"

The old look of almost stubborn honesty he recalled in the child came into her face.

"I do—and I don't," she said, perplexed. "It seemed to me as if I ought to have remembered you when I came up, and yet I hadn't the slightest notion who you were. I know I have known somebody."

He shook his head, but did not speak.

"But you have always been a fact in my existence—that is what I want to say," she went on. "It must be possible to remember a person and not remember, and that is what I feel. I can remember you coming to our house in Hanssoms street, and how I looked forward to your coming, and you used to have little candy beans in your pockets," she cried. "Have you now?"

His eyes were a little dimmed as he reached, smilingly, into the skirts of a somewhat shiny but scrupulously brushed coat and produced a brightly colored handful. She took one, and put it in her mouth.

"Oh," she said, "how good they were! Isn't it strange how a taste brings back events? I can remember it all as if it were yesterday. And how I used to sit on your knee, and mother would tell me not to bother you."

"And now—you are grown," he said.

"Something more than grown," she said. "I was thirty-one in May. Tell me," she asked, choosing another of the beans which he still absently held, "do you get them for these?" And she nodded toward the Dalton street waifs.

"Yes," he said, "they are children, too."

"I can remember," she said, after a pause, "I can remember my mother speaking to you to me the year she died. You were very brown, then. It was after we had moved up to Park street, and her health had already begun to fail. That made an impression on me, but I have forgotten what she said—it was apropos of some recollection. No—it was a photograph—she was going over some old things." Alison ceased speaking abruptly, for the pain in Mr. Bentley's remarkable grey eyes had not escaped her. What was it about him? Why could she not recall? Long-forgotten, shadowy episodes of the past seemed to flit wraithlike mockingly through her mind—ungrasped; words dropped in her presence which had made their impression, but the sense of which was gone. Why had Mr. Bentley ceased coming to the house? So strongly did she feel his presence now that the thought occurred to her—perhaps her mother had not wished her to forget him!

"I did not suspect," she heard him saying, "that you would go out into the world and create the beautiful gardens of which I have heard. But you had no lack of spirit in those days, too."

"I was a most disagreeable child, preverse,—outlandrous—I can hear my mother saying it! As for the gardens—they have given me something to do, they have kept me out of mischief. I suppose I ought to be thankful, but I still have the rebellious streak when I see what others have done, what others are doing, and I sometimes wonder what right I ever had to think that I might create something worth while."

He Glanced At Her

He glanced at her quickly as she sat with bent head.

"Others put a higher value on what you have done."

"Oh, they don't know—" she exclaimed.

If something were revealed to him by her tone, he did not betray it, but went on cheerfully.

"You have been away a long time, Alison. It must interest you to come back, and see the changes in our Western civilization. We are moving very rapidly—in certain directions," he corrected himself.

She appraised his qualification.

"In certain directions—yes. But they are little better in the East. I have scarcely been back," she added, since I went to Paris to study. I have often thought I should like to return and stay awhile, only—I never seemed to get time. Now I am going over a garden for my father which was one of my first efforts, and which has always reproched me."

"And you do not mind the heat?" he asked. "Those who go East to live return to find our Summers oppressive."

"Oh, I'm a salamander, I think," Alison laughed.

Thus they sat chatting, interrupted once or twice by unrelated boy small to join in the game, who came running to Mr. Bentley and stood staring at Alison as at a being beyond the borders of experience; and she would smile at them quite as shyly,—children being beyond her own. Her imagination was asleep, as unspoiled as a child's, and was stimulated by a sense of adventure, of the mystery which clung about this fine old gentleman who betrayed such sentiment for a mother whom she had loved and admired and still secretly mourned. Here, if there had been no other, was a compelling bond of sympathy. . . .

The shadows grew longer, the game broke up. And Hodder, surrounded by an argumentative group keeping pace with him, came forward them from the field; Alison watched him curiously as he turned this way and that to answer the insistent questions which he was pelted, and once she saw him stride rapidly after a dodging delinquent and seize him by the collar amidst piercing yells of approval, and derision for the rebel.

"He remarkable, that he gets along with them," said Mr. Bentley, smiling at the scene. "Most of them have never known what discipline is."

The chorus approached. And Hodder, recognising her, dropped the collar he held. A perceptible embarrassing with Mr. Bentley was no unusual sight,—he had made no speciality of this one's identity. He left the latter to explain.

"You know Miss Parr, I believe," the old gentleman said.

Hodder took her hand. He had often tried to imagine his feelings if he should meet her again; what he should do and what would be their footing. And now he had no time to prepare. . . .

To Be Continued Tomorrow.

HARVARD STUDENT AID ENDOWMENT FUND DRIVE

In order to help the graduates to obtain the endowment fund of fifteen millions they are seeking for Harvard, the students at Cambridge have started a drive of their own. Amory Houghton, manager of the crew, is in charge, and has the assistance of Philip Hofer, manager of the hockey team, and P. T. Walsh of the track team, look after the freshman collection. The following men have been appointed chairmen of their respective dormitories in the endowment drive:

Adey, C. K. Wadsworth, 22; Brown, J. Van H. Beight, 22; Bock, S. C. Richmond, 22; No. 8 Row stores; Bowers, J. Van Cleve, 21; Harvard Yard; Brown, Percy H. Parker, 22; Count, H. H. White, 22; Dana, Richard H., 2d, 22; Dana, Richard H., 2d, 22; Dexter, R. M. Barnes, 22; Dunbar, Robert G., 22; Eliot, Charles W., 2d, 22; Emerson, Edward W., 22; Fairfax, Randolph, 22; Fairfax, Randolph, 22; Fairfax, Randolph,

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"Thy Will Be Done on Earth as It Is in Heaven" Not in This Man's Lexicon

Professor Kirsopp Lake of the Harvard Divinity School bases an attack upon prohibition on the brutal, dark age doctrine of the survival of the fittest. He says that those who cannot resist the temptation to indulge in liquor to an excess are unfit and that liquor is a good thing with which to kill them off. He ought to assemble the children and the wives and the mothers of some of the men, otherwise splendid men, splendid fathers and husbands and sons who could not resist the temptation to use liquor in excess, and when he has them assembled in the hall he ought to tell them what he tells the general public through the newspapers. In such a case he would soon find a new and most uncomfortable application to himself of the law of the survival of the fittest.

Probably nothing has emanated from the mouth of a sane man, occupying a responsible position, so extraordinary as the attack which this man of the Harvard Divinity School has made upon our social welfare reforms, having for their object the saving by the ounce of prevention the total destruction of those whom misfortune has marked out as the victims of an imperfect civilization. If he is correctly reported by the very full report given of his remarks in the Sunday papers, he would abolish social welfare laws because they, too, interfere with the application of the law of the survival of the fittest and tend to prevent the immediate extinction of the unfit whether they be merely unfortunate, whether they be capable of rescue or whatever their circumstances.

When society tolerates even the serious discussion of such a doctrine it will be when "reason has fled to brutish beasts."

The law of the survival of the fittest is not a final decree of nature in the sense that it would forever destroy the unfit under the brutal circumstances in which they are destroyed in the lower animal and vegetable world. While the law of the survival of the fittest is immutable in the sense that it is a decree of nature determined upon progress that only the fit shall survive, yet it does not mean that the elimination of the unfit shall always be by the brutal processes in which the elimination is carried out in those stages of evolution in which the intellect has little to say. As civilization advances the law of the survival of the fittest is refined constantly and will go on being refined until it loses all its brutal character and will mean the elimination of the survival of the unfit by creating such social and economic and political conditions as will not create any unfit. It is to that end that all our struggles for economic, social and physical improvement are directed. Nor can we hope to reach that end while we have such a sense of responsibility toward our brothers as will permit us to look with equanimity upon their brutal elimination as unfit without a struggle to make them fit and capable of surviving.

Take prohibition for example. Probably a million young men in the next year will not know the taste of liquor under prohibition who would have known it if the saloon had been opened. Now out of those millions, thousands would have been so constituted that they would have become drunkards. They may not have any other weakness and probably have not, for the law of compensation is also pretty immutable. Save for the liquor habit they are perfectly fit to survive—fitter to survive probably than many of those who find no difficulty to resist the liquor. We all have some weakness, and it is merely chance which makes the weakness of some of us happen to be more fatal under certain circumstances into which we are thrown than the weaknesses of others of us. Some of us have a weakness for coffee, which is not fatal, but it is a real weakness. Some of us have a weakness for bread and potatoes. Some of us have a weakness for ball games. The very thing which may make us weak in one respect may make us strong in another. For example, the boy who is too full of vitality and energy to stick to his desk and be a student is weak as a student, but that energy and vitality might make him and has made many such a boy an empire builder. The task of society is to put us in circumstances under which our weaknesses shall be our strength or shall atrophy for lack of opportunity to be satisfied.

Without doubt, in years to come one of the tasks of progressing society will be to eliminate gentlemen who entertain such views as Professor Lake, not by destroying them, but by teaching them that they are wrong and making it impossible for anybody to entertain such notions.

Railroads Out Again for Another Rate Increase

The railroads appear to be giving out inspired newspaper stories to the effect that they must have another increase in passenger and freight rates. This must be good news to those gullible business men and other gentlemen that swallow everything that comes from the mouth of a man who is called a banker or a railroad official, and who followed the banker-managers of the railroads in their successful demand to be given back these great arteries of commerce after the government had taken them to save the war and had saved the war by taking them.

The first raise of freight and passenger rates after the railroads went back to private management increased the cost of living to every family something over $200 a year, and yet it is claimed that this increase has not enabled the railroads to meet expenses. Indeed, it has not if their figures are to be accepted, for they have run into debt in six months of profound peace and prosperity almost as much as the government ran into debt while operating them during the great war when profits and economy were no consideration and when soldiers, cannon and rifles and powder and cartridges and food, clothes and tractors, tanks and everything had to be moved without consideration of anything but time.

We hope that the gullible gentlemen in our Chambers of Commerce and Boards of Trade will get all they want of private management in a very short time, but we hope especially that they will get all they want of it before the railroads succeed in re-establishing their great political lobbies in the city halls and state capitals and in Washington, where for sixty years they constituted the invisible government and were more powerful than the governments of the States and nations combined.

The political power of the railroads always was the greatest menace to our American democracy and will become a menace once more when they re-establish their lobbies and their political machines which Director-General of Railroads McAdoo to his lasting fame abolished the moment the government took control.

The Great Coal Drama

The Silver (Coal) King — By T. E. Powers

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More Truth Than Poetry

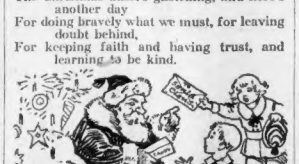
Hopeful Days

By S. E. KISER

ALONG about this time o' year, when all
the fields are brown
And signs of Christmas time appear in all
the stores in town,
There's something in the air that takes the
slowness from your step
And rouses drooping hopes and makes you
tingle with new pep;
The birds are gone, the vines are bare, the
sun is far away,
But checks are glowing everywhere—and
here's another day!

THE rooster stands upon one leg and gets
the other warm;
The brown hen lays a ten-cent egg, preserving faultless form;
There's a gleeful shouting near the schools
when all the books are packed;
Ice forms upon the little pools and tinkles
when it's cracked;
The flivver's resting easy now; it's rather
cool to drive—
That is, for fun—but, anyhow, it's good to
be alive.

ALONG about this time o' year the pessimists are glum;
They sadly shake their heads and fear the
Winter that's to come;
But don't waste time in listening to what
they have to say:
The Christmas tinsel's glistening, and here's
another day
For doing bravely what we must, for leaving
doubt behind,
For keeping faith and having trust, and
learning to be kind.



Safety Is Possible

BY organizing a safety department in the Fall of 1917 and conducting a vigorous safety campaign throughout the following year, the United Alloy Steel Corporation, Canton, Ohio, decreased its accident frequency 59 per cent. The number of injuries causing loss of time beyond the shift was reduced from 1,440 in 1917 to 983 in 1918. The average number of employes in this plant during 1917 and 1918 was 4,000.

Does safety pay? In the city of Everett, Wash., there are six-teen lumber and shingle mills. Twelve of them are members of the council. The records of the State Industrial Insurance Commission for the year 1918 show that the average compensation per employe for the twelve council members was only $4.88, the highest figure for any of the members being $8.24; while for the four non-members the average payment was $22.79, and the lowest was $13.47. There's a reason.

Once-Overs

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THINK OVER YOUR INCOME.

Prices go up and prices go down, but there is never a time when it does not behoove a man to look after his expense budget.

Another year is rapidly drawing to a close, and you have some sort of an idea whether you are going to be ahead or behind with your savings balance.

Just what is the cause of your inability to show a comfortable sum in the bank?

Suppose you go over the matter carefully and decide where you are at fault, if the fault be yours, and decide it before you get too deeply into Christmas expense, which may be all unnecessary.

If you have some idea of what your next year's salary or wage will be and you know the ratio of expense as you have spent your money to live, just go over the items and estimate the proportions you ought to save; figure out how much you should allow for each particular item, as "the table," "clothing," "amusements," etc.

Be ready to profit by a close study of the past year in time to start a new budget, which shall be as closely planned as possible to lay aside for the rainy day.

Preparation may serve to keep the rainy day away.

Ye TOWNE GOSSIP

Registered U. S. Patent Office.

By K. C. B.

New York, Nearly Christmas, 1920.

DEAR K. C. B.—This is to inform you that the Cohan and Harris Theatre will be at your disposal, lighted, heated and fully manned, on the night of Sunday, December 5, for the third annual K. C. B. Christmas Fund Benefit. And with it go my best wishes for as great a success as was your benefit last Christmas.

If there is anything else that our offices may do to assist the American in the splendid work it is doing for the poor at Christmas time, will you please let us know the time, the place and what to do? Sincerely yours,

SAM H. HARRIS.

MY DEAR Sam.
I AM very glad.
YOU SAID a word.
ABOUT THE benefit.
OF LAST year.
BECAUSE IT proved.
THE BENEFIT did.
THAT ANYBODY.
WITH A good cause.
AND THE Lord helping.
WHICH HE always does,
IN A good cause.
EVEN IF it be.
ON A Sunday night.
AND I seem to be wandering.
BUT ANYWAY.
WHAT I want to say.
IS THAT the success.
OF LAST year's benefit.
COULDN'T HAVE been.
UNLESS THE cause.
MADE A deep appeal.
TO THE actor folk.
AND BECAUSE the spirit.
OF HELPFULNESS.
IS STILL alive.
YOU CAN put it down.
THAT THIS year's show.
WILL BE just as good.
AS LAST year's show.
AND SOMEWHERE, Sam.
SOME POOR little girl.
WILL HUG a doll.
WHEN CHRISTMAS comes.
AND WILL never know.
THAT IT came from you.
AND THE actor folk.
BUT THE Lord will know.

THANK you.

Where Love Belongs

By Ella Wheeler Wilcox

DO you know what moves the tides
As they swing from low to high?
'Tis the love, love, love
Of the moon within the sky.
Oh, they follow where she guides,
Do the faithful-hearted tides.

Do you know what moves the earth
Out of Winter into Spring?
'Tis the love, love, love
Of the sun, the mighty king.
Oh, the rapture that finds birth
In the kiss of sun and earth.

Do you know what makes sweet songs
Ring for me above earth's strife?
'Tis the love, love, love
That you bring into my life.
Oh, the glory of the songs
Oh, the rapture of your songs.

OPPOSING IDEAS IN INDUSTRY CLASH

THERE are two opposing ideas struggling the one against the other in the field of Labor.

One is the Trade Union, the other is Industrial Self-Government.

The Labor Union can hardly be called an idea. It has no philosophical program.

It is rather the expression of a natural force, of a blind trend, of a tidal movement deeper than men's will and articulate purpose.

The Labor Union is simply the new-found modern practical way for the laborer to get what he wants.

The means by which he does this is the Strike.

Without the Strike the Union is powerless.

The Strike simply means that laborers by means of organization, have such control over the whole supply of labor that they can stop production unless their demands are granted.

The Closed Shop is a corollary of the right to strike. It means that the laborer controls the labor market so fully that the employer cannot find any non-union labor, or will not be permitted, when the laborer strikes.

All this is pure Force.

It has no program, no goal. It means today's bread and butter. Carried to its logical conclusion, of course, it inevitably leads to Sovietism, or the rule of the Proletariat, and many think that is an end to be desired.

The second of the two ideas is Self-Government in Industry.

This idea aims to supersede the blind struggle of the opposing forces of employer and employed by co-operation.

The underlying thought of the Labor Union and of an Employers' Association is that the two interests are by nature and necessity unalterably opposed.

Progress thus is conceived of in terms of conflict.

Laborers must band together and fight their natural enemies—the employers; and capitalists must do likewise, and stubbornly resist every effort of the Unions.

Self-Government in Industry, which is now making rapid strides throughout the country, flatly denies this.

It asserts that there is no conflict necessary between Capital and Labor, that the two are natural allies, not natural opponents, that one thrives with the other and not at the expense of the other, and, in fine, that they "are both milking the same cow," and consequently both are injured when they cease milking and go to fighting.

Industrial Self-Government is an attempt to apply the principles of the political republic to industry; it is democracy in economic terms.

The Labor Union emphasizes and encourages Class Consciousness, rallies its supporters by the Class war cry, and holds them together by Class loyalty.

Industrial Self-Government deprecates the whole Class idea. It insists that all, both employers and employed, are human beings, that there is no difference, and that if they can get together and talk things over all their troubles can be solved.

Industrial Self-Government, such, for instance, as the scheme advocated by John Leitch, and such as is in operation now in hundreds of American factories, has a goal, an end, for it aims to bring peace and prosperity to the State, stabilize the social order, increase production and bring about better times for everybody.

This is not written in any spirit of criticism of Labor Organizations, for in the hope of getting before the reader's mind the nature of the great spiritual struggle now going on in the world, the clash of these great ideas, one the idea of gaining the desired end by Force, the other the idea of accomplishing the same purpose by organized co-operation.

While the advance of civilization has been apparently characterised by fighting, thoughtful men have always suspected that strength spent in fighting is really wasted, and if both parties were more intelligent and self-restrained they might get what they want much better some other way.

MARRIAGE TOO OFTEN TAKEN AS MEDICINE

By Damon Runyon

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NO bachelor or spinster knows anything about married life save from observation.

Therefore what they have to say on the subject does not amount to a row of pins. The only way you can learn about married life is from actual experience.

The happily married man or woman naturally considers marriage a great success. The unhappily married man or woman will not discuss the matter if they have any sense. Certainly a man cannot discuss it and remain a gentleman.

One of the lowest forms of human life is the man who goes around telling of his marital woes. We men are much less inclined to talk about those matters. Woman seem to consider it something of a disgrace to be unhappily married, even though it may not be their fault, and they try to hide their troubles from the world as long as possible.

On the other hand, nine out of ten unhappily married men tallyhoo their sorrow to all who will listen. Generally they love to confide in other women, looking for sympathy, proving that female sympathy is always one of the gnawing desires of troubled mankind.

I say to you, Reader, that such a man has a little hound in him. However unhappily married a man may be, he ought to at least keep his mouth shut. Let the woman do the talking. That is her privilege, if she feels so inclined.

Maybe this arrangement does not sound fair, but it is the code. It is the code of the good, game man. A man does not speak disparagingly of any woman, much less his wife.

Thinking over this last line, I suddenly realize that I had a mighty narrow escape. Whew! Almost I wrote it: "Even his wife."

From the fact that he has remained married to the same wife for a good many years, I have always assumed that Rudyard Kipling is happily married. However, it has often struck me that Kipling did a lot of whining about women in very good verse. "A woman is only a woman, but a good cigar is a smoke"; "a rag and a bone and a hank of hair"; "the female of the species is more deadly than the male," and so forth.

Kipling's ideas about women are mainly a series of flat phrases, all of them mighty disrespectful to his wife. There is nothing in Kipling's life to show that any woman ever held him any material injury, but he was certainly a great hand for "squawking" about them.

Women are all right. So is married life. The trouble with a lot of married people, and this goes for the women as well as the men, is that they take it too seriously. Married life is a happy business, and a lot of fun, it isn't something to be regarded as a weight of worry and woe.

Married life is a pleasant partnership if properly conducted. But it must be a give-and-take proposition. Both sides must make many allowances.

I know men who have been in business partnership with other men for twenty years or more, who understand each other thoroughly and get along very well together by making allowances for temperamental peculiarities on either side.

Yet these same men will not make the same allowances in their married partnership. They do not seem to realize that their wives have changing moods the same as their business partners. They do not seem to realize that their wives get as impatient over a husband's shortcomings and peculiarities as a business companion.

And they never realize that a woman can get as sick and tired of looking at one man as a man can get sick and tired of looking at one woman. Sometime some truthfully said that a little judicious separation is a great stimulant to married life.